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ONE LONE VOTE DEFEATS POOL OTHERS CARRY

Rumors of Election Frauds
Come from East
Waco.

NEGRO VOTES INFLUENCED? Reported That Opponents Adopted Illegal Tactics.

Paving—1st	24	34	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
For	115	125	135	145	155	165	175	185	195
Against	34	44	54	64	74	84	94	104	114
Water—1st	24	34	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
For	115	125	135	145	155	165	175	185	195
Against	34	44	54	64	74	84	94	104	114

With the paving and sewer bond issues voted upon yesterday carried by good majorities, and the park bond issues which would have provided for a swimming pool apparently defeated by one vote, supporters of the measures last night announced that in all probabilities a meeting would be called today to ask a recount which they declare would not be amiss because of the narrow margin by which the swimming pool was lost.

In the early part of yesterday afternoon reports reached the central committee working for the bonds at the Chamber of Commerce that opponents of the swimming pool issue were attempting to influence negro votes at Paul Quinn college by stating that negroes would not be allowed to swim in the pool after it was built.

If this report proves true and any votes were influenced the question arises whether such acts are not in violation of the Texas election laws. If any votes were influenced adversely they were sufficient to defeat this issue.

Street paving bonds carried nearly 4 to 1. Bonds for sanitary sewers were popular, carrying nearly 3 to 1. The heaviest vote against the swimming pool was cast in the Fifth ward.

Numbers on Houses Needed in Waco, Declare Officials

"Strangers in Waco comment on the lack of street and house numbering," said H. D. Driscoll of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday. "This keeps Waco in the town class. It is inconvenient, too. There are many big conventions coming to Waco this year, and visitors must be directed to homes where there are no numbers. The city commission ought to see that all the streets are properly numbered."

Postmaster C. B. McCollum said: "The extension of carrier service has been held back in Waco by lack of house numbers. It is a fixed rule that houses must be numbered or mail cannot be delivered there. This is one particular in which progressive Waco is lagging behind the procession."

CLEAN-UP DAY FOR TEXAS ANNOUNCED

STATE HEALTH OFFICER SENDS
LETTERS GIVING MARCH
10 AS DATE.

Dust will fly in Texas March 10. Stating that this date had been set for a state-wide clean-up day, letters are being sent out to health officers, city and county authorities and women's clubs throughout the state by W. B. Collins of Austin, state health officer.

"Clean-up Day" is intended to arouse in all people of Texas a desire to ward off diseases peculiar to the warmer months," states the letter, "as well as to guard against those which, like tuberculosis, are perennial in their destructiveness."

Heading the letter is a quotation from Governor Ferguson: "Public health is public wealth. No nation ever did or ever will prosper until it pays first heed to the health of its citizenship. Health is the handmaid of happiness."

San Juan Governor Addresses Legislature

By Associated Press.
San Juan, March 7.—Governor Yager in a special message to the legislature for the first time addressed the members as "fellow citizens of the United States." He said:

"I welcome you into our great national family with high hopes of you this new relation."

Today's Weather

Voluntary Forecast by Isidor Block.

Today, fair.
Local Readings.
Maximum temperature 75 at 5 p. m.; minimum 62 at 6 a. m.; barometer 30.55; humidity .35; wind passage 235 miles, fastest 19 miles an hour.
Rain .58 inch.

Govt. Forecast.
For East Texas—Thursday and Friday fair, moderate temperature.
West Texas—Thursday and Friday fair.

RISK MEN DECLARE APPARATUS NEEDED

REPRESENTATIVES OF STATE DEPARTMENT URGE TEST OF EFFICIENCY FOR TRUCKS.

Representatives of the state fire insurance department who spent yesterday in Waco took the position that the fire-fighting apparatus of Waco must be increased in amount and brought to its best stage of efficiency if the rate is to be maintained where it is at present.

Messrs. Baker, McKnight and Godley conferred with Mayor John Dollins and the city commissioners yesterday morning. Visiting fire insurance representatives say tests ought to be made of the apparatus in service in Waco, extending over a period of five hours, to prove how the apparatus will hold up under strain.

Representatives of some of the large fire insurance companies of the state will be here tomorrow for a conference at 10 o'clock. After the morning meeting the city commission and some of the larger holders of fire insurance policies may be called into conference.

Delegates to Endeavor Convention Announced

Joe B. Tucker, president of the Waco Christian Endeavor Union, has announced a complete list of delegates to the district convention to be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Tehuacana. The delegates follow:

Morrow Street Methodist—Faye Hopkins, Thelma Wortham and Leroy Watson.
Second Presbyterian—Elsie Word, Monetta Strubling, Frank Smith and Joe Tucker.
Central Presbyterian—Irma Secrest, Vera Johnson, Beth Fuller, Lillie Minnock, Lorene Walsh, Bert Anderson and W. R. Anderson.
Central Christian—Lorene Hamilton, Lucille Stagner and Dean Costler.

Turkish Ruling Classes Responsible for Massacres

New York, March 7.—Massacres of Armenians were inspired by the desire of the Turkish ruling class to eliminate from the empire all sects and creeds except that of Mohammedanism, according to Lord Bryce, former British ambassador to the United States, in a cable message to the American committee for Armenian and Syrian relief made public today.

"During the recent massacres whenever any Christian was spared," Lord Bryce said, "Many a Christian child was torn from his parents to be brought up as a Mussulman. Thousands of Armenian Christian girls were sold in the market or distributed among Turkish officers to be imprisoned for life in Turkish harems and there forced into Mohammedanism."

"That many more thousands of Armenians, women as well as men, were offered their choice between Christ and Mohammed, and when they refused Mohammed were shot or drowned forthwith."

Offer \$1000 to Arouse Interest in Girl Hunt

By Associated Press.
New York, March 7.—A reward of \$1,000 to arouse interest in the search for Miss Ruth Cruger, 18-year-old high school graduate, who disappeared from her home in this city on February 13, was offered today by her father, Henry D. Kruger.

Scores of detectives have vainly sought for Miss Cruger for weeks. Her parents believe she has been kidnapped.

Ask for U. S. Warship to Bring Home Citizens

By Associated Press.
Copenhagen, via London, March 7.—The American legation here having done its utmost toward facilitating the departure of Americans now in Copenhagen has been requested to obtain the permission of the United States government to have a warship or an American passenger vessel sent over for those who are stranded here. Thus far the legation has not consented to make any such request, although the situation is becoming more and more difficult for those Americans who must live here under the most expensive conditions.

WILSON MAY TAKE MATTERS IN OWN HANDS

Administration Quarters Are
Confident President Has
Planned Action.

MIGHT CONVOY STEAMERS

Old Statutes May Be Over-
ridden and Protection
Given to Liners.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—New action by President Wilson within the next few days in the situation resulting from the German unrestricted submarine campaign was forecast confidently today in administration quarters.

In what form the action has been determined upon it was not revealed. The possibilities are that it will be the arming of American merchantmen by the government despite old statutes construed by some officials to prohibit such action; the conveying of the vessels by warships; the immediate calling of an extra session of congress and the placing of American ships desiring to pass through the danger zone under government control.

It is pointed out, however, that any restrictions surrounding the arming of vessels do not apply to supplying convoys. The best judgment of the navy department has been against conveying for strategic reasons, but it was considered possible that if no way is found this course might be adopted.

Mr. Wilson was forced to retire to his room early this afternoon by a cold, but previously he conferred with Secretary Lansing about the German crisis and talked with senators about cloture in the senate.

23 BRITISH BOATS SINK IN A WEEK

STATEMENT ISSUED BY AD-
MIRALTY SHOWS EXTENT OF
U-BOATS' WORK.

By Associated Press.
London, March 7.—An official statement today says that twenty-three British merchant vessels were sunk by mines or submarines during the week ending March 4. Of these, fourteen were of 1,600 tons gross or over and nine were under 1,600 tons. In the same period, three British fishing vessels were sunk. The statement includes one merchant vessel and one fishing vessel sunk during the previous week, but not included in a previous statement.

Twelve British merchant vessels were unsuccessfully attacked by submarines during the week.
The number of merchant vessels of all nationalities of more than 100 tons net arrived at United Kingdom ports during the week was 2,528. The number sailing was 2,477. These figures are exclusive of fishing and local craft.

Paris Youths of 1920 Called to French Army

By Associated Press.
Paris, March 7.—A Zurich dispatch says the minister of war has called into service the class of 1920, that is youths born in 1899 and 1900. The recruits, it is said, will present themselves on March 10 for immediate service. The dispatch adds that it is reported that the Austrian government is likely to call out men aged from 54 to 61 years, who are capable of giving military service.

Guardsman Urges That Germany Attack U. S.—Says 100,000 Will Aid Here

By Associated Press.
San Antonio, March 7.—"To hell with America; they are after President Wilson, the common scoundrel, and 100,000 other German reservists hope that Germany will come over here and smash this country."

Such are passages from the letters of Paul Scharfenberger, Company L, First Minnesota Infantry, who is held in San Antonio at the Fort Sam Houston stockade, and under a five-year sentence at Fort Leavenworth penitentiary on charges of furnishing military information to Germany.

An extract of the letter from which the first charge, specification "1," was taken, reads as follows:

Calls Wilson Scoundrel.
"But one good thing is that the German-Americans hold together here closer than formerly. The war brings

VON IGEL SPY SYSTEM BARED BY U. S. POLICE

By Associated Press.
New York, March 7.—Department of justice officials were preparing today for presentation to a federal grand jury tomorrow evidence concerning the German spy conspiracy in this country. It was learned that important documents had arrived from Washington which it was believed would further connect Dr. Ernest Sekunna, a German chemist, and Dr. Chandre Chakrabarty, a Hindu physician, with Wolf von Igel, attaché of the German embassy, who sailed with Count von Bernstorff after indictments against him had been dismissed. Dr. Sekunna and Dr. Chakrabarty were arrested Tuesday and, according to police, confessed that they had plotted, under direction of Von Igel, to invade India with a military force by way of China.

Confederate Board Meets at Washington in June

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—A meeting of the board of directors for the Confederate reunion which is to be held here in June has been called for late Friday afternoon by Chairman Robert N. Harper. An effort will be made to obtain permission to use government property on which to store the columns and pylons used in the court of honor at the inaugural ceremonies so as to preserve them for the decorative scheme to be employed during the reunion.

Potato Prices Decrease in New York Campaign

By Associated Press.
New York, March 7.—Further reductions in the price of potatoes and other commodities were reported today as a result of efforts of the various organizations at work here to lower the cost of living. Four carloads of Columbia river smelts were received and distributed to stores in the poorer sections of the city. Potatoes which sold for twelve cents ten days ago were offered today at five cents a pound.

"Enemy" Airplanes Fail to Run N. Y. Blockade

By Associated Press.
Hempstead, N. Y., March 7.—Three theoretical "enemy" airplanes failed to run an "aerial blockade" of thirteen American fliers in an aerial war game played here today. The three blockade runners were detected and theoretically shot down long before their objective—the aviation field—had been reached. The game was played to test the theory of air blockades.

"International Spy" Not to Be Tried; Witness Gone

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—The charge against Karl Armgard Graves, self-styled "international spy" accused of attempting to extort \$3000 from Countess von Bernstorff for certain personal letters he claimed to have intercepted, was nolle prossed today because the prosecuting witnesses had left the country.

Banks in Panama Must Use Spanish Language

By Associated Press.
Panama, March 7.—President Valdez today signed a bill prohibiting any language except Spanish to be used in the correspondence of banking institutions. The law gives the president power to close banks violating it. Three American banks which had recently declined to make loans to the government without security will protest to Washington against the measure, it is asserted.

Declares Army Plans "Out-Prussian" Germany

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, March 7.—That the general staff of the United States army had "out-Prussianed Germany" in its demand for universal military service and for a standing army of 268,000 men, was the assertion of Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the New York Evening Post, in an address tonight before the seventh annual congress of the National Federation of Religious Liberty, in session here.

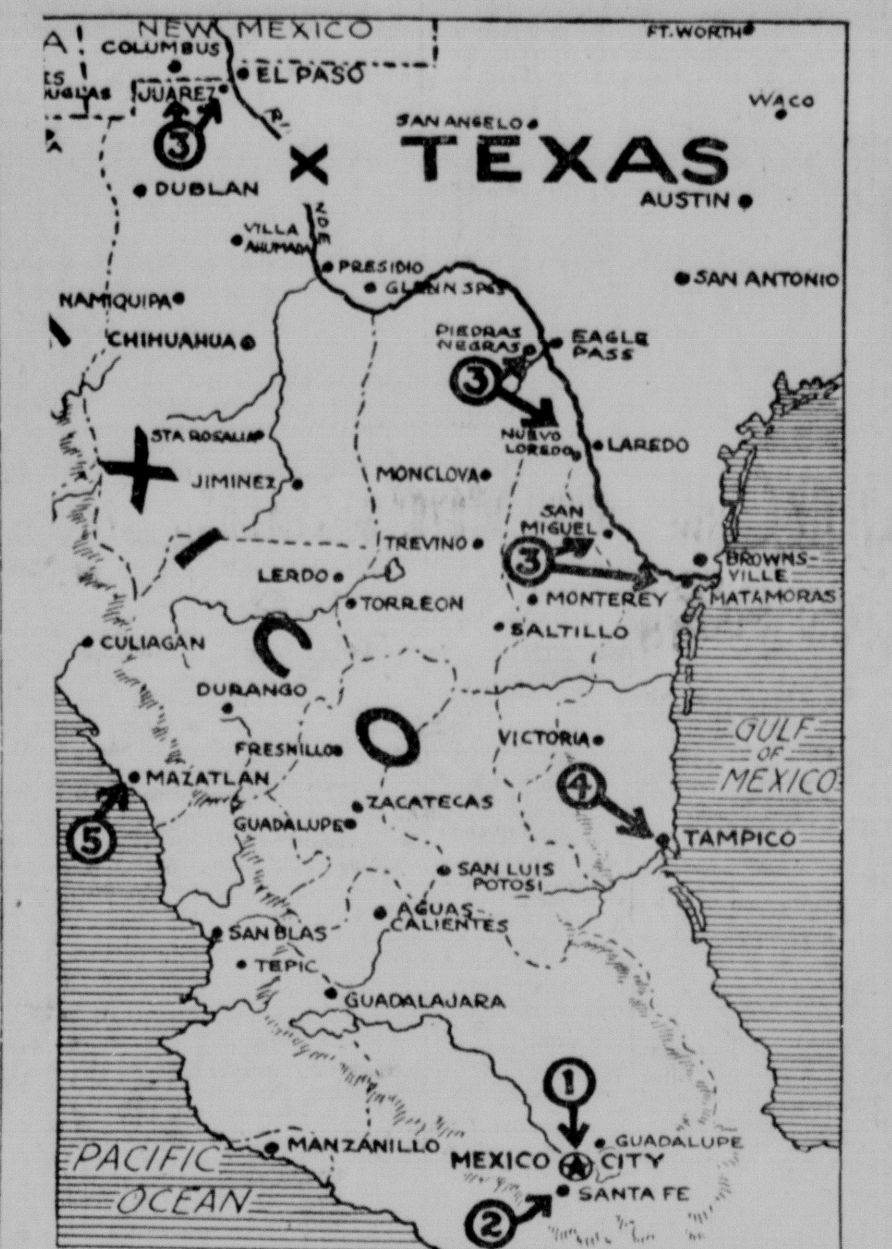
Torpedo Boat Destroyer Sunk by a Submarine

By Associated Press.
Paris, March 7.—The torpedo boat destroyer Cassini of the Mediterranean patrol service was torpedoed by a submarine on February 28. According to the official announcement, the vessel sank in two minutes, the powder magazine exploded and the captain, six other officers and 100 of the crew perished.

OHIOAN IS NAMED.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—Herbert A. Myer of Ohio was appointed today assistant to the secretary of the interior. Mr. Myer, who has been private secretary to Secretary Lane, will have administrative charge of the Alaskan railroad now being built.

Map Showing Spot of Anticipated Raid; Guards Rushed from El Paso



CUBAN REBEL CHIEF CAUGHT BY FEDERALS

JOSE MIGUEL GOMEZ REPORTED
CAPTURED AFTER BIG
BATTLE.

By Associated Press.
Havana, March 7.—The following statement was issued at the palace tonight by Secretary Aciazu:

"Jose Miguel Gomez and his staff, together with more than 300 of his forces, were taken prisoner today by government troops under Colonels Cosme and Collazo. For three days Colonel Collazo has been close on the heels of Gomez and last night another column under Colonel Cosme joined the operations that resulted in what is probably the biggest pitched engagement in the history of Cuba. More than 3,000 men took part in the engagement and although full details have not yet been received, it is known that the rebels lost, besides the 300 prisoners, over 100 killed and many were wounded."

London Frowns Upon Attitude of Hollanders

By Associated Press.
London, March 7.—The report current here that Holland is determined to lay up her ships rather than expose them to the dangers of the German submarine war zone is causing so much irritation that it would not be surprising if the governments of the entente should adopt retaliatory measures unless negotiations between London and The Hague reach a successful conclusion.

Two Trans-Atlantic Boats Safe Thru Zone

By Associated Press.
New York, March 7.—Two transatlantic passenger liners arrived here tonight after running the German submarine blockade. The White Star liner Baltic, which brought 126 cabin and ten steerage passengers, docked tonight and the French liner Rochambeau will dock tomorrow after spending the night at quarantine.

Aggressive Young Men

The aggressive young men—the fellows who are anxious to go ahead—are readers of Waco Morning News "Help Wanted" ads.

A gentleman in the Fidelity building advertised for a young man, "17 or 18 years of age," and specified what his qualifications must be. The response was very gratifying, and a certain young man is on the road to advancement.

Ten or twelve other young fellows were there for the job, also. News classified ads are read by more people in Waco and vicinity, and they cost but a trifle. You may phone your ad in if it's more convenient, or bring it to our office, 614 Franklin St.

PHONE 3465.

TROOPS RUSH TO FT. HANCOCK FEARING RAID

33rd Michigan Infantry Sent
to Village to Prevent
Tragedy.

FOLLOWS AIRPLANE EXPEDITION

U. S. Scouts Report Rebels
Forming in Great Numbers
at Nearby Ranch.

By Associated Press.
El Paso, March 7.—It became known here tonight that in event of a raid on the American border near Fort Hancock or at any other place in this district, the United States troops in motor trucks and on horseback will pursue the raiders into Mexico without awaiting orders from department headquarters.

By Associated Press.
El Paso, March 7.—A motorized machine company of the Thirty-third Michigan infantry commanded by Captain Crossman has been sent to Fort Hancock, Texas, to protect that town from a possible Villa raid. The company was rushed there following the airplane trip across the border by Captains Dodd and Brown from the Columbus, N. M., aviation headquarters today.

There is at present a company of infantry and a troop of cavalry stationed at Fort Hancock.

The Villa troops, numbering approximately 400, have been at the San Martin ranch for three days, and forty of them came to the San Juan mine, only nine miles across the border from Fort Hancock, yesterday to buy supplies at the mine commissary.

Residents of Fort Hancock, which is fifty-three miles southeast of El Paso, appealed to Brig. Gen. George Bell Jr., commander of the El Paso district, for protection against a raid.

DE FACTOS DASH NORTHWARD.

By Associated Press.
Juarez, March 7.—Gen. Jose Carlos Murguía and Gen. Pablo Gonzales left here late today for the San Martin ranch, fifty miles southeast of Juarez, with a column of de facto cavalry and with machine guns mounted in automobiles. A battle with Villa forces known to be in the vicinity of the San Martin ranch is expected tonight or tomorrow.

Six Women on Jury in Murder Trial

By Associated Press.
Seattle, Wash., March 7.—A jury of six women and six men was secured today in the trial of Thomas H. Tracy, charged with the murder of Deputy Sheriff Jefferson Beard, at Everett, Wash., last November. Tracy was a member of a "free speech" expedition that went to Everett from Seattle on the steamer Verona under the direction of the Industrial Workers of the World to hold a street meeting. The sheriff of Snohomish county forbade the expedition to land, and firing began. Five members of the expedition and two deputy sheriffs were killed.

It is expected that taking of testimony will begin tomorrow.

May Recall Invitation to Bryan for Address

By Associated Press.
Lawrence, Kans., March 7.—A resolution seeking the recall of the invitation to William Jennings Bryan to deliver the commencement address at the University of Kansas signed by a member of the faculty, was presented before the school senate, the undergraduate governing body, today. It was announced following the session. The invitation, which has been accepted, was tendered Mr. Bryan before his present stand on the international crisis. The resolution was said to have been discussed before the school senate, but was tabled for future disposal.

Americans in England Seek Ways to Get Home

By Associated Press.
London, March 7.—Nearly 100 letters have been received at the American embassy here from Americans resident in England asking for particulars as to what steps the American government purposes to take to safeguard Americans desiring to return home. Some of the letters suggest the sailing of passenger ships under convoy of American warships, while others declare that the writers would be satisfied to proceed home on armed American liners.

IRISH IN COMMONS BRING HOME RULE TO CRITICAL ISSUE

LLOYD-GEORGE FACES EMBARRASSING SITUATION—JOHN REDMOND QUILTS HOUSE.

By Associated Press.
London, March 7.—The presentation by the Irish nationalists in the house of commons this evening of a resolution calling for the immediate application of the home rule statute to Ireland precipitated one of the most bitter sessions in months and threw the home rule question back into its old position of uncertainty. The resolution forced the government into a declaration of policy toward self-government, namely, that any part of Ireland that wished home rule could have it, but that no coercion would be employed to compel Ulster to accept. At the same time the proposal drew from the Ulsterites the ultimatum that they would not accept, which coupled with the government's pronouncement effectively crushed all hopes for a speedy settlement.

The nationalists tonight, headed by their leader, John Redmond, were in conference, having withdrawn in a body from the house of commons, and Mr. Lloyd George was facing his first embarrassing situation since he assumed the premiership.

Pleads for Home Rule.
The nationalist resolution was introduced by T. P. O'Connor, who asserted that the manner in which the government had handled the Irish rebellion had transformed a friendly people into one filled with bitter hatred against England. He pleaded that home rule should be put into operation immediately for the sake of Ireland and in the interests of England, the empire and the allies.

Mr. O'Connor was followed by William A. Redmond, who made an impassioned plea for a compromise between the nationalists and unionists and sat down amid the applause of the house.

Thus far things had been running smoothly, but Lord Lansdale, speaking for the unionists, threw a wrench into the machinery by declaring that Ulster wanted nothing to do with home rule of this sort and sarcastically remarked that his section of Ireland had furnished troops and money from pure patriotism and without hope of gain for themselves.

CHINESE STILL DESIRE BREAK WITH KAISER

RECENT CABINET CRISIS DOES NOT AFFECT POLICY OF GOVERNMENT, IT IS SAID.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—Peking advices to the Chinese legation here today explained the recent cabinet crisis which culminated in the resignation of Premier Tuan Chi Jui and his cabinet and his withdrawal to Tientsin as a constitutional controversy, which would have no ultimate effect on the country's policy as to severing relations with Germany.

The cabinet has voted for such severance in conformity with its threat to Germany in case the submarine warfare were not abandoned, but President Li Yuan Hung has taken the ground that such decision rests with him only. Whether an agreement has been reached is not known here.

No further details have been received as to the efforts of the entente governments to bring China into the war, but added confirmation of the movement had been received and it is known that the subject is under discussion between Peking and the various entente capitals. Diplomats here say China has been offered the postponement, not the remission of the Boxer indemnity and the admission of the entente governments to an increase from 5 per cent to 12 per cent in the Chinese customs duties.

Your morning paper free with your morning purchase if made at Carter's Drug Store.—Adv.

Phone 159 any time during the night for drugs. Free delivery. Stetler's Drug Store. (Adv.)

Stomach Troubles Are Due To Acidity

Tells Safe, Certain, Speedy, Relief For Acid Indigestion.

So-called stomach troubles such as indigestion, gas, sourness, stomach-ache and inability to retain food, are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence that fermentation is taking place in the food contents of the stomach, causing the formation of gas and acids. Gas distends the stomach and causes that full, oppressive, burning feeling sometimes known as heart-burn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the stomach and is neutralized by the action of the stomach and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments and is a perfectly harmless and inexpensive remedy to use.

An antacid, such as Bisulphated Magnesia, which can be obtained from any drugstore in either powder or tablet form enables the stomach to do its work properly without the aid of dangerous artificial digestants. Magnesia comes in several forms, so be certain to ask for and take only Bisulphated Magnesia, which is especially prepared for the above purpose.

U-BOAT WAR KILLS TWO CHICAGO WOMEN



Mrs. Mary Hoy and her daughter.

Special to the News.
CHICAGO, March 7.—Following the death of his mother and sister by exposure after the torpedoing of the Laconia, Austin Young Hoy, a Chicagoan, now in London, cabled President Wilson an emphatic demand for retribution on Germany. Himself the descendant of a long line of fighting ancestors, Mr. Hoy also tendered his services as the first volunteer in the United States volunteer army.

At the same time Mr. Hoy cabled the Sullivan Machinery company of Chicago, which firm he represents in London, asking indefinite leave of absence "to carry out plans to avenge the deaths of his mother and sister."

As an alternative Mr. Hoy announced in his cablegrams that he will enlist in the British army if the United States does not take steps to avenge the deaths of its citizens.

Cablegrams from London tell of the young man's grief. He is now under the care of physicians. Mrs. and Miss Hoy were placed in an open boat when the Laconia sank, but died from the effects of cold and exposure after it swamped and they were picked up by another small craft. They were buried at sea.

Mr. Hoy is 32 years old and unmarried.

PLANS OF INTRIGUE COME FROM GERMANY

OVERSEAS NEWS AGENCY PUBLISHES OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF LATE PLOT.

By Associated Press.
Berlin, March 7 (By Wireless to Sayville).—The Overseas News Agency today made public the following official statement concerning Germany's plan to have Mexico engage in war with the United States if the United States should not remain neutral after the declaration of unrestricted submarine warfare by Germany:

"The decision to begin the unrestricted submarine warfare February 1 having been taken, an eventual conflict with America had to be considered by reason of its previous attitude. The facts have proved that the surmise was justified, for the American government immediately after our notification concerning the barred zone, broke off diplomatic relations, and moreover, requested other neutral powers to join in this course of action. In anticipation of this possibility, it was not only the right, but also the duty of the government to take measures in time to counterbalance the joining of an additional ally on the side of our enemies.

"The imperial minister to Mexico was therefore instructed about the middle of January to offer an alliance to the Mexican government and to arrange the details in case the United States should declare war against us. The minister was expressly charged to take no steps with the Mexican government before he had obtained the absolute certainty that war had been declared by the United States.

"It is not known by what means the American government acquired knowledge of the instructions transmitted by secret ways to Mexico. It seems that treason—and treason it probably is—has been committed on American territory."

If you are going to heat your house, why not the best? See our gas burning hot-air furnace, demonstrating plant in our office. Torbett & Gerould Co.—Adv.

HALT IN FIGHTING ALONG THE SOMME AND ANCRE FRONT

CONSIDERABLE AERIAL ACTIVITY TAKES PLACE BETWEEN BRITISH AND GERMAN PLANES.

By Associated Press.
Momentarily there is a cessation in the attacks by the British along the Ancre and Somme fronts, which recently have given them considerable ground held by the Germans at various points. Bombardments alone are reported in these regions and also along the line held by the French.

Considerable aerial activity has taken place between the British and Germans. London reports that three German machines were brought down and three others forced to descend, damaged, but says four British machines were felled by the Germans and that seven others are missing.

There is little fighting of moment except the usual artillery duels and infantry actions by reconnoitering parties on the other fronts. The rout of the Turks toward Bagdad is being kept up by the British, who have advanced to within nine miles of Ctesiphon, which is twenty-eight miles from Bagdad. British reports record the Turks as being demoralized and leaving behind large quantities of stores and a number of guns.

Petrograd reports that the Russians have captured the Asadabad summit, a strategic position, ten miles southwest of Hamadan, Persia, from the Turks.

The destroyer Cassini, one of the allied Mediterranean patrol boats, has been sunk by a submarine. Seven officers, including the captain, and 100 members of the crew perished. Berlin reports that the Russian armored cruiser Rurik has been badly damaged by striking a mine in the gulf of Finland.

U. S. Officials on Nitrate Expedition in the South

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—Secretaries Baker, Lane and Houston and army engineers composing the board which will determine the location of the \$10,000,000 government nitrate plant left Washington tonight for a tour of proposed sites in South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Alabama, Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia. Local interests along the line will be given hearings, the first being held at Columbia, S. C., tomorrow. The trip will be completed March 15 and afterward another tour will be made through the West. The members of the board said that every effort would be made to reach a decision within a few weeks.

FRENCH IN BURST OF COURAGE TO MEN

STIRRING DEMONSTRATION ENACTED YESTERDAY IN PARIS FOR SOLDIERS.

By Associated Press.
Paris, March 7.—Some of the best known men in France participated today in a stirring demonstration at the Sorbonne, held with the object of giving moral support to the French soldiers. A large number of organizations without distinction as to party were represented and grouped under

the title of "All France firm for a victory of right."

President Poincare and Premier Briand, who were surrounded by the other members of the government, and the ambassadors and ministers of allied nations were given a rousing ovation as they entered the hall to the sound of the Marseillaise. Paul Deschanel, president of the chamber of deputies, was loudly applauded during a spirited address.

"We are approaching the most decisive hour of all times," said M. Deschanel. He urged the people to make every sacrifice in order to win. While others were sacrificing their lives, he added, the French people could well sacrifice their comforts.

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Almost every known variety of iron ore is found in Newfoundland.

BRITISH ARMY AGAIN APPROACHES HISTORIC BAGDAD



The bridge of boats over the Tigris at Bagdad.

Once more the British are approaching the ancient city of Bagdad on the Tigris and the Turks are reported to be fleeing in confusion. The historic city is the most important point on the proposed Bagdad railroad. A year ago last December the British approached to within a few miles of the city, but the expedition failed and General Townshend with an important part of his little army surrendered to the Turks.

Try D. D. D. for Eczema

A Liquid Wash for Skin Disease
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RELIEVES SOURNESS, GAS, HEARTBURN, DYSPEPSIA IN FIVE MINUTES.

Sour, gassy, upset stomach, indigestion, heartburn, dyspepsia; when the food you eat ferments into gases and upsets you; your head aches and you feel sick and miserable, that's when you realize the wonderful acid neutralizing power in Pape's Diapepsin. It makes all such stomach misery, due to acidity, vanish in five minutes.

If your stomach is in a continuous revolt—if you can't get it regulated, please, for your sake, try Pape's Diapepsin. It's so needless to have an acid stomach—make your next meal a favorite food meal, then take a little Diapepsin. There will not be any distress—eat without fear. It's because Pape's Diapepsin "really does" sweet out-of-order stomachs that gives it millions of sales annually.

Get a large 50c case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. It is the quickest, surest antacid and stomach relief known. It acts almost like magic—it is a scientific, harmless and pleasant stomach preparation which truly belongs in every home.

The Value of a Pair of Glasses

Lies wholly in the accurate grinding of the lenses and the trustworthy knowledge of the optometrist who prescribes them.

This being a fact, who are you to trust when your eyes are calling for glasses?

Don't you believe that the eyesight specialist who is constantly specializing in optometrical work should not naturally be better equipped to diagnose and prescribe glasses for you than the "jack of all trades"?

At the Exchange Optical Store you have the advantage of two specialists (which means better service to those in need of glasses). One diagnoses and prescribes while the other grinds the lenses as per prescription.

Dr. W. B. Georgia,
Optometrist
625 Austin St. Waco, Texas.
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Man's Letter Answered

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Answer: The prescription referred to is herewith given. Any well stocked drugstore can mix it. It really is a wonderful strengthening tonic for nerve-broken men and women, too:

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- Comp. Essence Cardiol. 1 oz.
- Comp. Fluid Balmwort. 1 oz.
- Comp. Syrup Sarsaparilla. 3 oz.
- Mix. Shake well and take a teaspoonful before or after each meal and one at bedtime for several weeks.

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Q. R. Thompson Dies at His Home in Waco

Q. R. Thompson, aged 65 years, died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at 1815 North Eighteenth street.

He was a carpenter and had been a resident of Waco for thirty years. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. E. C. Karley, Waco, and Mrs. Vola Hoch of Cincinnati, Ohio; also two sons, Herbert and Q. R. Thompson Jr., the latter in the navy in California.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed, pending word from relatives.

"Safety First" Katy Men to Meet Here Saturday

The "safety first" committee of the Texas Central district of the Katy will meet here Saturday afternoon in the Y. M. E. L. rooms at 3 o'clock.

A. A. Krause, St. Louis, commissioner of safety for the Katy, will be the chief speaker. Dr. W. P. Lipscomb of St. Louis, of the National Red Cross society, will be present also. A dinner will be tendered visitors in the evening by Superintendent J. W. Evans of the Katy, this to be at the Hotel Raleigh.

FUNERAL ON FRIDAY

Funeral services of Charles F. Fisher of Robinson will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The time was postponed on account of the fact that a relative, Rev. A. Zimmerman of Grand Park, Ill., cannot reach here today.

Mr. Fisher died yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock. He leaves a family.

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Calendar

Mrs. B. C. Moulden hostess for the Thursday Auction, 501 North Tenth, 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schenberg's pre-nuptial dance at Progress club, 9 p. m.

The woman's corporate communion, St. Paul's Episcopal church, 10:30 a. m.

Catholic Study club with Mrs. A. E. Wells, 1821 North Twelfth, 3:30 p. m.

Thursday Bridge club with Mrs. Gardner, Gillespie, Crawford apartments, 3 p. m.

Meeting of the city mission board at Co-operative home, 3 p. m.

Woman's auxiliary, Central Presbyterian church, meets at the manse, 2 p. m.

An extended visit in Haskell to her daughter, Mrs. Scott Key.

Mrs. Allen of Hearne came over on Tuesday for the fashion show and a visit to her mother, Mrs. T. A. Blair.

Judge and Mrs. Lane are guests from Hearne of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McNutt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zizina are in the East where business interests call them for the next few months.

W. D. Lacy, who was injured Sunday by a fall, is getting along very well.

Little Roy Jacobs Jr. has been ill for the past day or two, but was better yesterday.

A. J. Byrne of San Antonio spent yesterday in the city.

W. E. Hansman of Houston was here yesterday.

M. A. Johnson, auditor of receipts for the Katy railroad, was here yesterday from Dallas.

C. B. Hanna of Burlington, Iowa, is the visitor of Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Schenck.

I. R. Nixon, prominent citizen of Eddy, was here yesterday.

Mrs. H. H. Shear and Mrs. B. G. Kendall leave today for Corpus Christi for a week's stay.

George O. McGowan of Fort Worth was here yesterday.

N. Y. Guards in Waco Sing "How Dry I Am"

"It's dry as Sahara—that was all a mistake about rain in Waco Tuesday night."

That was a sad discovery made by some members of the New York national guard, en route from the border to their homes, when they reached Waco yesterday afternoon—they found an election day and the "d. d. d."

The last section of the three left Waco shortly after 8:15 o'clock, amid songs of "Nobody Knows How Dry I Am."

Three in Federal Court Plead Guilty to Charges

In the federal court yesterday afternoon the following pleaded guilty:

Lee Johnson, illicit retail liquor dealing; ninety days in jail and a fine of \$100.

Sam Jacobs, same offense; same sentence.

Maxey Hughes and Preston Gilliam, theft from interstate shipment of freight, ninety days in jail.

Give Fireman Honor Badge for Thirteen Years' Services

Dock Meers was presented a handsome badge by Baylor Engine company No. 4. This was given him on account of faithful services for thirteen years. City Attorney John Maxwell made the presentation speech. A Heerlein has been elected delegate to the State Volunteer Firemen's association in San Angelo, with T. V. Meers as alternate.

Barn Dance for Miss Herald of Shreveport

The barn dance given Miss Henrietta Herald of Louisiana by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Freund on Tuesday, in which fully seventy-five couples mingled, is pronounced one of the merriest of the season.

By the use of hay the handsome Progress club had been made to resemble somewhat a barn scene. Music rendered by Black's orchestra for the program dance was of the barn-dance rhythm and the dancers dressed in keeping with the occasion, the men in overalls, the girls in gingham aprons and sunbonnets.

As the guest of Miss Mildred Freund, Miss Herald has been a much feted visitor and this dance is another of the compliments extended her. Preceding the dance, Mr. and Mrs. Freund, Miss Herald and Miss Freund gave cordial welcome to their guests. Miss Herald's escort for the evening was Raymond Alexander. Miss Freund's escort was Carl Abrams.

Dramatic Recital.

Miss Honor E. Wolfe of New York, formerly of Waco, is generously giving of her talent while in our city. Last week students of the contemporary drama were given an unusual treat when Miss Wolfe interpreted for a most appreciative audience two of the far-famed Irish plays and one written by the reader. This afternoon in Miss Martin's Model School at Baylor, Miss Wolfe will read Browning's Blot in the Scutcheon, a play upon which she has spent years of study, and one which she has read frequently elsewhere. Since several of the literary clubs of the city have been recently studying this poet, and since the spring course in Browning begins next week, it is especially fitting that this program be from Browning.

The reading is entirely complimentary to lovers of Browning in Baylor and in the city. The hour is 4:45 sharp, in the Model school building, just north of the main building. There will be no admission fee.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Miss Maggie Brady of Temple is visiting Mrs. Ben Boyne of Farrott avenue.

Mr. W. E. Cresap is at home from



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"Uncle Samuel" Thrift Talks to Sanger Ave. Club on Thrift

Dealing with "The Well Trained Child" as a subject, bringing out the lessons of thrift as applicable to the inseparable relation that exists between a mother and her child and urging a closer co-operation between mothers and teachers, H. A. Armstrong, familiarly known on the streets as "Uncle Samuel" Thrift, spoke before a large attendance of the Sanger Avenue Mothers' club at that school yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

"Uncle Samuel" Thrift gave as his definition of a thrifty mother, "A God-fearing mother, a home-loving mother, a home-building mother, a child-raising mother and a will-training mother."

Likewise, he said, "A thrifty child is a will-trained child." "The world needs more Mothers' clubs and more mothers," he continued. "And more mothers need will-trained children. A child is little more than an animal in its actual life. It is peculiarly endowed with a will because it is a moral animal. The will of the human animal finds sole explanation in its moral intelligence. The first, middle and last idea in all will training of the child is the permanent welfare of a moral being."

Speaking of some of the common errors in the training of the child's will, he said: "One error is that practice of so many that a child's will should be conformed to a certain standard set up by the parent or perchance a teacher. This is wrong, because it implies a making-over of original nature. Original nature can be cultivated and improved, but it always determines, and should determine, the final results. A child's will is not like a boiler in a factory, connected with a good or bad set of machinery, to be remodeled or replaced, if not satisfactory. A child's will is a living thing, and it is indissolubly related to its mental mechanism. It is the mind's motive power to determine. And again, a child's will should never be broken. Breaking a child's will is a heresy against the very nature of things and a crime against mankind. The man or woman to grow from the child depends upon his or her own kind of will. To break the will of a child to conform to some other idea is to wreck at the beginning the child's chances for success."

Mr. Armstrong proffered many simple, practical plans for the proper training of a child's will; first, the training process; second, the developing process, and the process of symmetry.

He was very warmly received by members of the Sanger Avenue Mothers' club and is highly elated over the interest being manifested in the lead these ladies are taking in Waco. "I found a spirit of co-operation at the Sanger Avenue club between parent and teacher that will mean much to the citizenship of Waco. I appreciate very much the invitation to address them and very agreeably surprised at their progress," said Uncle Samuel to a News reporter.

The above address is the second of a series of talks to be given before the different clubs and organizations of Waco in connection with his thrift campaign, which deals with the five fundamental principles of life, "What we eat, wear, use, save and do."

Crump and Son Jake Get Repairs et al After Smash

M. Crump and his son, Jake, of Wortham's Bend, yesterday took a touring car to a repair shop in Waco, and themselves went to a physician for repairs on account of a collision with a street car at Twelfth and Herring.

The accident happened Tuesday night. The auto was thrown against the sidewalk with such force that the rear tires blew out with a big noise. The men were cut painfully, especially M. Crump. They received medical attention from Dr. J. H. Womack.

Albert Pick and Family Are Visitors at Raleigh

Albert C. Pick, head of Albert Pick company, one of the largest hotel supply houses in the world, and among those who were responsible for bringing Hotel Raleigh to Waco, is visiting at the hotel with his wife and son, Lawrence Pick, and two daughters, Misses Pauline and Dorothy Pick. They will remain in Waco for three or four weeks, according to Manager R. E. Fellow of the Raleigh.

Before returning to his headquarters in Chicago, Mr. Pick will visit in Galveston and San Antonio.

Confederate Vet. Kicked in Face by Horse Yesterday

Slipping and falling while near the postoffice yesterday morning, Perry Green, well known resident, was kicked in the face by a horse before he could get up. Mr. Green is a member of the Confederate camp, and while no bones were broken in the fall or when he was kicked, still the injuries are painful, possibly serious. Mr. Green is an old-time resident of Waco and lives at 319 South Third street.

If your lights are dim and your starter weak, it is a sure sign of a dead battery. Ring 3311 for a service battery. Waco Storage Battery Co.—Adv.

ANOTHER SUFFERER CURED.

Stafford, Yell County, Ark. Dear Sir—I never wrote one word or testimonial in behalf of any medicine in my life, but think it is my duty to do so now in behalf of your tonic. For many years past have suffered from indigestion and stomach trouble, but in the spring and summer of 1897, while working at the carpenter's trade in the town of Dardanelle, Ark., my health gave way with a crash of the nervous system, and language can never tell what I suffered. A form of serious heart trouble set up; nothing would digest in my stomach, and my nerves were all prostrated and I lived in constant expectation of sudden death. A gloom of despondency overshadowed my whole life and I did not want my wife to leave me in a room by myself. The best doctors of Dardanelle did all they could for me, my lodge, 1233, K. of H., ministered to my wants, but still I grew worse for a long time; returned to the country to live, and many of the best doctors of the country have advised and treated me. Have never done one day's manual labor since June, 1897, but must say that two bottles of your tonic recently taken have done me more good than anything I have ever taken. JOHN C. SUGG, (Brother of the postmaster at Dardanelle, Ark.)

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There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

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Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth). Pour this into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. The total cost is about 54 cents and you have a full pint of the most effective remedy you ever used.

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NOW WELL AND HAPPY AGAIN

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"I suffered so long and tried so many things without getting any relief that I had about despaired of ever having another well day," said Mrs. Belle Du Priest, residing at 927 South Sixth street, in a conversation with the Tanlac representative, a few days ago. "Nobody knows," continued Mrs. Du Priest, "what an awful time I had with my stomach for fifteen long years. Every bite of food I ate would sour and I would have to vomit most of it up. I couldn't even retain water on my stomach and I got so I was afraid to eat anything because I knew so well the suffering I would have to undergo. I fell off until I weighed only eighty-eight pounds and was almost a nervous and physical wreck. I could hardly sleep at all and many a night I would walk the floor with dizzy headache and a burning sensation in my stomach. I ached all over and had a hacking cough. I lost all my strength and couldn't walk three blocks without resting. My heart would flutter from the gas on my stomach and I was so weak I could do nothing about the house. I tried all kinds of treatments and medicines but kept getting worse until I thought my time for this world was about over."

"Finally I decided to try Tanlac and when I started on it I had very little hope of it helping me. But all my sufferings are now at an end and I am telling everybody what a blessing Tanlac has been to me. I can now eat most anything I want, everything tastes good and agrees with me, and this pleasure alone is worth many times what my four bottles of Tanlac cost me. My miserable headaches are gone, my heart don't flutter any more, and I sleep fine every night. All my aches and pains and the cough have disappeared and I feel like a different person. I now weigh ninety-seven pounds, which is nine pounds more than I weighed the day I started on Tanlac, and only likes a few pounds of being as much as I ever weighed. I never weighed over one hundred and two pounds at any time. I suffered so long and was in such a bad condition I never believed any medicine could restore my health, and I want to tell you when my troubles left me happiness came instead. I feel like I ought to let everybody know what Tanlac has done for me, for maybe my statement will be the cause of others finding relief as I did."

Tanlac is sold in Waco by Morrison's Old Corner Drug Store, under the personal direction of the special Tanlac representative.—Adv.

Stanley Murder Case Is Reversed by High Court

Special to The News
Austin, March 7.—The court of criminal appeals today reversed and remanded the case of C. Q. Stanley, from Smith county, convicted of killing Thurston Babbitt and sentenced to seventeen years in the penitentiary, because the trial court erred in failing to give a proper charge to the jury on the question of self defense.

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NATIONAL MONUMENT TO BUFFALO BILL TO BE ERECTED ON LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN WILL OVERLOOK FOUR WESTERN STATES



How the Proposed Buffalo Bill monument will look when completed.

THE national monument to Col. William F. Cody, more popularly known as "Buffalo Bill," will be modeled on the figure shown in this photograph. The site of the monument on Lookout mountain, Denver Mountain park, upon which the figure stands, has been dedicated for that purpose by the city of Denver. The mounted figure of Colonel Cody is a reproduction from the Pappacena painting, executed by the noted Italian artist, which Colonel Cody preferred even to the canvas painted by Rosa Bonheur, because it shows him leaning forward in the saddle with the true "cowboy seat." Mrs. Cody has notified the Cody memorial committee that it is her wish that the Pappacena painting, presented to the city of Denver by her, be made the dominating figure in the monument.

From the point where Colonel Cody will be buried on Decoration Day the spectator can see part of four states—Colorado, Wyoming, Nebraska and Kansas. It was in these states that Buffalo Bill's famous exploits were performed. One hundred miles to the north the chalk cliffs of Cheyenne are plainly visible.

The site on Lookout mountain is 2,000 feet higher than Denver, and the statue will be visible from that city. It is reached by the Lariat Trail, one of the most spectacular mountain highways in America. On one side the motorist looks over 200 miles of prairie; on the other appears the snow-capped Continental Divide, with the wild and

PARTY LINES BLOT AS LEADERS MAP ANTI-FILIBUSTERS

ONLY TWO REPUBLICANS OPPOSE
PLANS TO CHANGE RULES
OF U. S. SENATE.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—Democrats and republicans of the senate in caucus today cleared the way for early modification of senate procedure so as to make filibusters such as defeated the armed neutrality bill, impossible in the future.

The democrats voted unanimously to support a rule under which debate could be limited by a two-thirds vote, recommended by a conference committee of ten, five representing each party, as the best way to solve the filibuster problem. The republicans voted 30 to 2 to support the same change.

The resolution embodying the proposed rule probably will be reported to the senate tomorrow by Majority Leader Martin, with a view to pressing it for prompt adoption.

La Follette Not There.
Senators La Follette and Gronna, republicans who were among the twelve who failed to sign the manifesto approving the armed neutrality bill, did not attend their party caucus. Democratic senators had a distinct impression tonight that the appearance of the rule would be the signal for speeches by these two senators on armed neutrality. There were a few democrats who had views different from the majority, but while they may contribute a few speeches on the subject of any changes in the rules, no prolonged opposition is expected.

CHANGES HIS MIND.
By Associated Press.
Baltimore, March 7.—Senator Joseph I. France, one of the two republican senators who voted against the closure bill in the caucus today, declared tonight that when the bill comes up in the senate he will vote for it, believing at this time he should uphold the president.

GREGORY ARGUING HARVESTER CASE IN U. S. SUPREME COURT

PERSONALLY PRESENTS REASONS FOR SEEKING DISINTEGRATION SO-CALLED TRUST.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 7.—In re-argument before the supreme court today of the federal dissolution suit against the International Harvester company, Attorney General Gregory personally presented the government's reason for seeking disintegration of the so-called trust. He declared that if the intent of congress to prohibit undue concentration of capital and restraint of competition were not carried out government control, if not ownership, in all likelihood would follow with its evils and dangers.

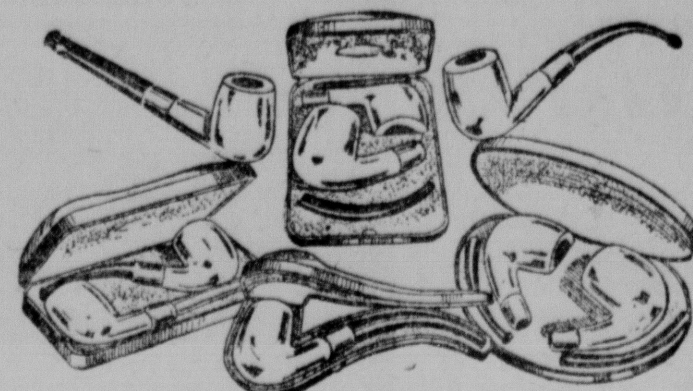
The hearings will be concluded tomorrow by John P. Wilson of Chicago, chief counsel for the defendants. "Such colossal combinations of capital, enjoying preponderant control of an industry—even if 'good' combinations—are illegal and harmful," the attorney general argued. He pointed to evidence that the defendants control between 77 and 85 per cent of the harvesting machinery trade, asserting that one "dummy" and six "office boys" formed the huge combination. This referred to the transfer of constituent corporations' assets to William C. Lane for subsequent transfer to the New Jersey corporation.

"Lane, the dummy," said Mr. Gregory, "offered to transfer the subsidiaries. The office boys gravely asked for time to consider. The next day these six office boys said the proposition 'looked good' to them and accepted."

"George W. Perkins (formerly of J. P. Morgan & Co.) was the little child who led them by the hand. J. P. Morgan & Co. waved the magic wand, and received \$3,500,000 for promotion services—to make legal what was illegal." There was conscious wrongdoing in the combination formation, the attorney general insisted, and justice would be defeated if the court should say there was no intent to evade the Sherman law.

By controlling the industry, he contended, the combination can control prices, competitors being few and comparatively feeble. Competition actually has been "throttled and destroyed," he added, although the percentage of the trade controlled is now slightly smaller than when the Harvester company was organized.

TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY PIPES AND SMOKERS' SUPPLIES

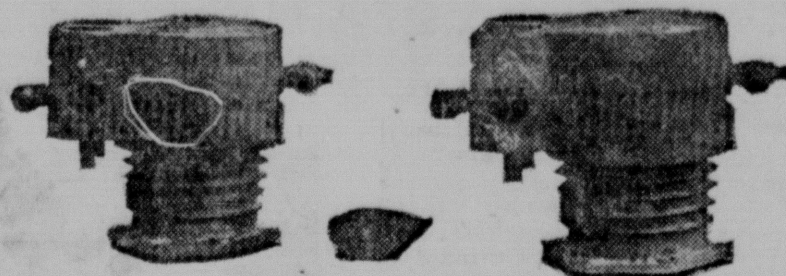


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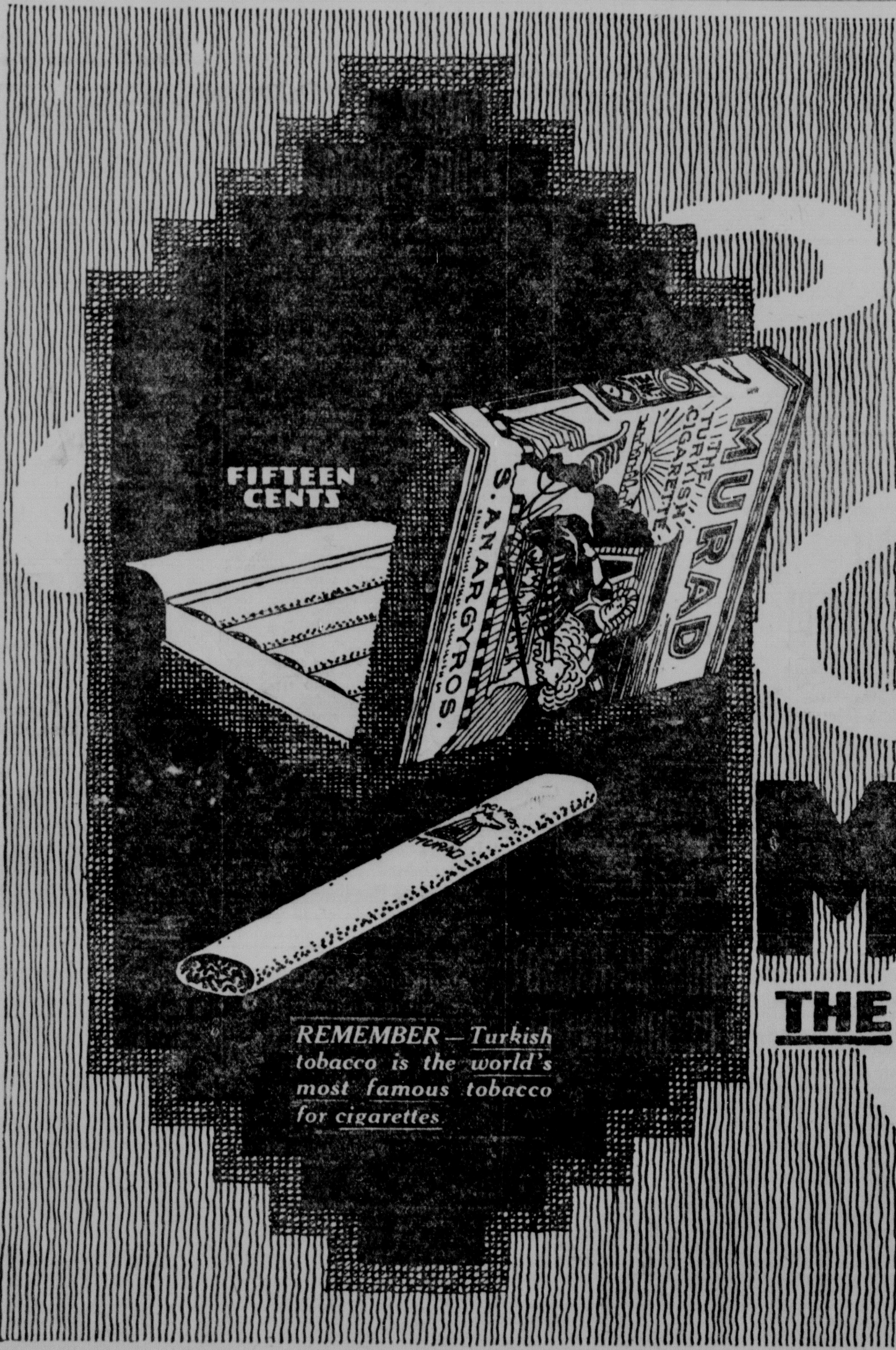
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SHIP BUILDERS TO DO GOVERNMENT JOB AT 10 PER CENT GAIN

AGREE WITH SECRETARY DANIELS TO FOLLOW OUT NEW PROGRAM.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 7.—American shipbuilders engaged on government work entered into an agreement with Secretary Daniels today to accept new contracts at a flat rate of 10 per cent net profit and pledged co-operation to the fullest extent of their ability in rushing to completion the navy's construction program.

Virtually all of the larger private plants in the country were represented in the conference. The builders who have been netting from 20 to 30 per cent on merchant steamers said they were willing to turn to government contracts at 10 per cent as a patriotic duty and the secretary agreed to protect them from undue loss. As a result for the present at least the government will not consider exercising the authority given by congress to commandeer plants.

Build Sub Chasers.

The next step of the department will be to call upon builders not engaged in government work to undertake such tasks as they are equipped to carry out. For the most part, this will consist of building submarine chasers and possibly some destroyers. An understanding also will be sought to prevent yards doing private work from drawing men from these with navy contracts.

Companies represented today will furnish Secretary Daniels not later than Monday with schedules of all commercial work in their yards or for which they have contracted. Details of the capitalization of each concern, its fixed charges, material contracts, plans of plants and yards showing percentage of enlargement and number of employees will be included. A definite statement of the amount and kind of additional government work that could be undertaken with an estimate of what might be accomplished in the year's time also will be submitted to each builder.

Securing Material.

The department is in correspondence with steel makers and other manufacturers who supply material for navy ships. Similar assurances of co-operation are expected from them. Mr. Daniels said he hoped to interfere with commercial building just as little as possible, but that nothing would be allowed "to stand in the way of supplying the navy with ships and ammunition as rapidly as is possible."

All of the conferences and other preliminary measures are preparatory to the issuing by President Wilson of a proclamation declaring that a national emergency exists which requires the use of the unusual powers granted him by congress to hasten naval construction. After that step has been taken the emergency fund of more than \$100,000,000 provided for the purpose will be available to pay for high-speed construction and the department will be in a position to require any shipbuilder or manufacturer to begin at once work assigned to him.

TEUTON PEACE TERMS MAY BE PUBLISHED

CONFIDENTIAL AGENTS DECLARE BELGIUM WOULD BE MADE INDEPENDENT BY GERMANY.

By Associated Press.

Havre, France, March 7.—The German government, according to information received here through confidential agents, is considering the publication of Germany's terms of peace. Under these terms Belgium would be declared independent, subject only to permanent German garrisons at Antwerp, Liege and Namur and to the control by Germany of ports and railways. Belgium under the terms would have no national army and would be policed by a gendarmierie.

UNCLE SAM IS PREPARING TO DEFEND HIS BIG DITCH



Special to the News.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Preparations of a far-reaching character are being made to defend the Panama canal against any alien foe.

(1) The Danish West Indies, "key to the Caribbean," are to be put under United States governmental control immediately. These islands will be made the chief outpost in the navy's scheme for the defense of the Panama canal.

(2) Coincident with this proposition is the activity concerning Porto Rico. It is proposed that all Porto Ricans be given the chance to become American citizens, and there is a congressional appropriation of \$1,200,000 for naval improvements in Porto Rico.

(3) For the further security of the canal Colombia was to be paid \$15,000,000, according to a proposed treaty to that effect. Vigorous opposition to this plan of Wilson's, however, developed in the senate and the matter was dropped for this session. If President Wilson regards the ratification as momentous, as he has said, he may call an extra session of the senate.

(4) An appropriation of \$13,371,000 for new troop quarters in the Canal Zone and for expenses of the authorized additional increments for garrisoning the zone has been requested of congress by Secretary Baker.

Farm and City Will Be Subject of Talk Tonight

O. C. Payne, one of the editors of the Farm and Ranch, will be the principal speaker tonight at the community meeting at the First Baptist church which will begin at 7:30 o'clock. His address will deal with the relations of the city to the farm and rural and city problems. John Gorham will preside over the meeting.

LOCAL MOOSE ORDER NOMINATES OFFICERS

BUCK MIMS NAMED FOR DICTATOR AND H. L. WHITE FOR VICE-DICTATOR.

At a regular meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose lodge 662 Wednesday night the following were nominated as officers for the ensuing year: Buck Mims, dictator; H. L. White, vice dictator; V. V. Aeri, prelate; E. A. Harrell, secretary; W. J. Gelsler, treasurer; George Abraham, inner guard; Sam Holloway, outer guard; H. L. Field, C. O. Bettinger, trustees; Eaton Williams, holding office as trustee for two more years. Bro. J. R. Spencer Jr., our dictator, having served as dictator for his term, was promoted to past dictator and also elected delegate to the supreme convention.

K. S. Pearson and John Little were initiated into the order.

Hillsboro Man Arrested on U. S. Narcotic Charge

Charged with violating the federal narcotic act, Dr. A. J. Mennefee of Hillsboro yesterday was arrested in Hillsboro by Deputy United States Marshal J. A. Rogers.

Dr. Mennefee was brought to Waco, had a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner A. P. McCormick yesterday morning and gave bond in the sum of \$200.

Sunday School to Give Entertainment Tonight

The North Waco Sunday school of the Second Presbyterian church will have an entertainment Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. Vocal solos, piano solos, duets and readings will be given. No admission will be charged and the public is invited.

Mrs. Matilda Bosley Dies; Funeral Is Today

Mrs. Matilda Bosley, aged 73 years, died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her son, S. H. Bosley, two miles east on the Springfield road.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 this afternoon, interment at Greenwood cemetery. Mrs. Bosley is survived by three sons.

Secretary B. I. M. I. T. to Address Builders

Gus W. Thomasson, secretary of the Buy It Made in Texas association, will address the Waco Builders' Exchange at the regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock, according to announcement made yesterday by E. H. Bruyere, president of the exchange.

Store Must Vacate for Erection New Building

To make room for the erection of the Rotan-building at Fifth and Austin streets, the structure on this site will be torn down, which necessitates the Sam Freund store to vacate. Announcement was made yesterday of a "forced to vacate" sale by the Freund company.

The Spring Fashion Show for 1917

has passed and the brilliancy of this occasion will long be remembered by the Fashion devotees of this city. Judging from the kind words of praise and the profusion of compliments showered upon us during these two days, we feel justly proud of our efforts and feel that the 1917 opening has far surpassed any in our history.

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ALASKAN FISHERIES MUST BE GUARDED

SHIPPING BOARD TAKES HAND IN CONTROVERSY OVER PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 7.—The shipping board took a hand today in the federal government's fight to protect Alaskan fisheries against Canada's orders in council giving preferential treatment to British Columbia interests. In an order forbidding transfer of the American gas boat Venture to Canadian register, the board declared that Canadian regulations do not give American citizens an opportunity for free competition in the fisheries trade, but rather subjects consumers of fish brought into American territory through Canadian ports "to the possibility of monopolistic price manipulation."

Officials here believe the effect of the orders in council if not offset would be to bring the Alaskan fishing fleet operating off Ketchikan under Canadian registry and its product into the Canadian port of Prince Rupert. Representations made through the British embassy have failed to secure a modification and retaliatory legislation framed by the commerce department failed with the adjournment of congress.

A watch requires 175 separate parts, more than 2,400 operations being necessary in its manufacture.

HOW TO RELIEVE HEAD NOISES

GOOD ADVICE FOR THOSE WHO FEAR DEAFNESS.

People who are growing hard of hearing and who experience a stuffy feeling of pressure against their ear drums, accompanied by buzzing, rumbling sounds in their head like water falling or steam escaping should take prompt and effective measures to stop this trouble. Head noises are almost invariably the forerunners of complete or partial deafness, and most deaf people suffer from them constantly. Sometimes these head noises become so distracting and nerve-racking, with their never-ceasing "hum," they drive the sufferer almost frantic and complete nervous breakdown may result. Thanks to a remarkable prescription, it is now possible to lessen the severity of these head noises and often completely overcome them and with the disappearing of the head noises the hearing also greatly improves, and very frequently can be restored to normal. It can be easily prepared at home for about 75c and we believe is a most effective treatment for this trouble. From your druggist secure 1 oz. Parmitin (Double Strength), take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar. Stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. Parmitin is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear and the results it gives are usually quick and effective.

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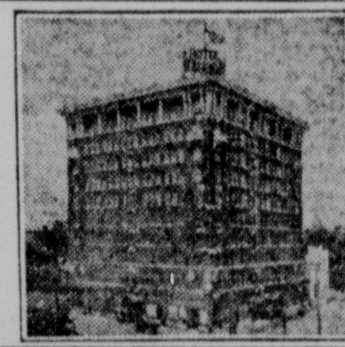
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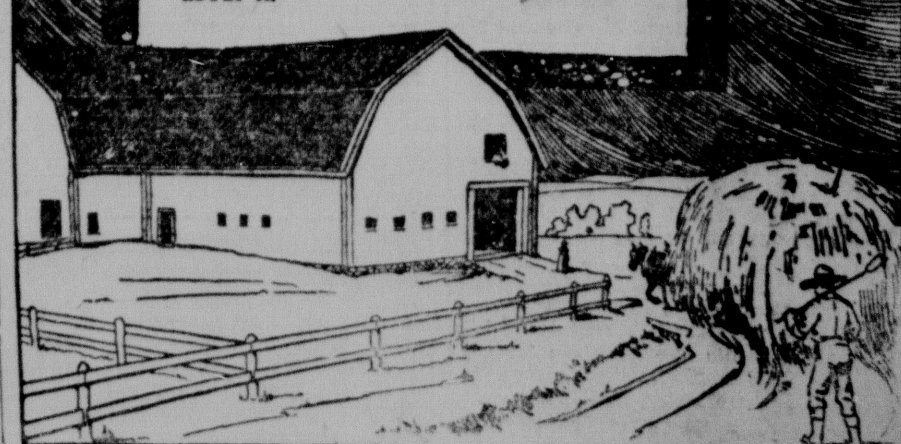
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S. S. S. is guaranteed purely vegetable and is most helpful, not only as a blood purifier, but also as a general tonic when the system is run down.

Owing to the success of S. S. S., there are many imitations. Therefore, demand the genuine S. S. S. by name. The only object any dealer has in substituting is that he makes more profit on the substitute. Watch for the trade mark.

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SHORT ONES.

Many fellows "kid" themselves into believing that they are proposing to a girl when in fact they are proposing to her "old man's" pocketbook.

"Will somebody please rise in his or her place and tell us the difference between a concert and a recital?" asks the Los Angeles Times. One difference is the price of admission.

New York policemen are undergoing a series of setting-up exercises, one of which involves the effort to touch the toes with the finger tips. How styles change! Time was when the typical New York policeman couldn't even see his toes.

GOING FORWARD.

THE NEWS congratulates the citizenship of Waco on carrying the paving and sewer bond issues.

The result is a vote of confidence in the continued growth and prosperity of Waco.

The losing of these issues would have dampened the progressive enthusiasm which is establishing Waco's position as the most promising city in Texas.

The apparent loss of the swimming pool issue by one vote is to be regretted. The News hopes the report proves unfounded that negro votes were solicited against this issue by white men who used the argument that negroes would not have access to the pool.

AS TO HEAD.

THE city commission today will hear from Commissioner Richards' report, giving his reasons for the suspension of Acting Chief James and Patrolmen Todd and Head.

In advance of the report, The News is unable to pass judgment upon the suspensions.

However, in simple fairness to Patrolman Head, the writer, who was a spectator of the wrestling bout around which these suspensions revolve, wishes to state that he did not see any conduct by Head which he felt warranted Head's being singled out for suspension, as against other officers present.

Commissioner Richards' report is expected to reveal the particular details on which Head's suspension is based. From personal inquiry, the writer believes that Patrolman Head is honest and a fearless officer, and that his conduct during his seventeen intermittent years on the police force has been decidedly above the average.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

(Detroit Free Press.)

The Kaiser says Germany will fight to the last man, and it isn't hard to guess who the last man to fight will be.

(Columbia (S. C.) State)

Would it be all right to speak of the two greatest wars of the present time as the peon and the European?

(Nebraska State Journal.)

When congress has exhausted every other means of harmless amusement, it reaffirms the Monroe doctrine.

(Asheville (N. C.) Citizen.)

Our idea of useless efforts is seeking to get results by circular advertising. It has never been known to pay.

(Milwaukee Sentinel.)

When an old friend buys a cane, grows a Charlie Chaplin and wears a college cap, it's a bad time for cracked lips.

(New York Press.)

It was the 2,000 votes in California out of Wilson's more than half-million plurality that counted most. Efficiency engineers should find some way of eliminating the waste of popular pluralities.

(New York Post.)

The statement that when Mr. Roosevelt takes his army to the continent he will fight under the allied commanders is intended, of course, to save the face of General Nivelle and Sir Douglas Haig.

(Grand Rapids, Mich. Press.)

A Louisiana man has been given thirty minutes in jail for slaying a neighbor. If this improvement in southern justice continues one can soon shoot a friend and get back to work without missing more than one street car.

(Clinton, Okla. Messenger.)

A minister at Muskogee tendered his resignation to his congregation for the reason that his flock was composed of gamblers, adulterers and drunkards. If he came to save sinners it looks as though he should have been satisfied.

CARRANZA'S CHANCE FOR RE-ELECTION IS EXCEEDINGLY GOOD

MEXICO WILL HOLD BALLOTING THROUGHOUT PROVINCES ON NEXT SUNDAY.

By Associated Press.

Mexico City, March 7.—Little doubt is expressed throughout Mexico as to the identity of the successful candidate for president of the republic at the elections to be held Sunday, March 11. Although two other candidates have announced themselves, Gen. Venustiano Carranza, first chief of the constitutional army, in charge of the executive power, practically has no opposition. The two other candidates who have announced themselves are Nicolas Zuniga Miranda of Mexico City and Francisco A. Garcia of Zaragoza, Puebla. The first is known as the perpetual candidate as he has appealed to the voters for their ballots at every election for twenty years, opposing Diaz and Madero. He is not taken seriously and neither is Garcia, who is practically unknown.

The races for seats in the chamber of deputies and for senatorial memberships, however, will provide many close contests. There are many candidates in the field, some nominated by political parties and some running independently.

"Getting Out Voters."

Politicians will have little difficulty "getting out the voters" at this election, as those who are eligible, registered and have not some excellent excuse are subject to a penalty of a month in jail or a fine of from 20 to 200 pesos each if they do not cast their ballots. The new constitution provides that the exercise of suffrage at elections is one of the duties of a Mexican citizen and this provision will be placed in effect.

Nor will the voters be forced to stand in a stuffy booth to mark their ballots. These will be delivered to them in advance and may be prepared at home.

The decree which accompanied the call for the election of president, deputies and senators provides the following procedure:

Based on 1900 Census.

The vote will be based on the census of 1900 (one deputy for each 60,000 inhabitants) and on the territorial division of 1912. The municipal divisions and precincts will be the same as obtained in the election of deputies to the constitutional congress last October. The roll of voters will be the same as in the October elections, revised to eliminate those dead, incapacitated or removed from the district and to add those eligible who were not previously registered.

The ballots or "tickets" for president, deputy and senator are printed on one side only and in such a manner that when folded the contents of the face may not be read. These tickets will be distributed, each ticket numbered. Each voter must receipt for the ticket handed him which bears the same number as his name on the voters' list.

Plan of Election.

On the day of the election, the superintendent of elections of each district, his alternate and the three registrars will meet at the polling place at 8 a. m. If before 9 a. m. nine voters have not presented themselves, the officers will call on the police to bring sufficient voters to make up that number. These nine voters will select from their number a board of five composed of a president, two secretaries and two watchers, who will act as judges of election.

The polls will open formally for voting at 9 a. m. and close at 3 p. m. and any voter who has not cast his ballot before the closing of the polls is subject to imprisonment or fine.

Each voter must present his ballot, to be placed in the box signed with his name and folded. If he is unable to read or write, he brings a witness with him. In the presence of the officials he then declares in a clear voice his choice for president, deputy and senators, and his ballot is made out and deposited in a separate box provided therefor.

NEWS FROM AUSTIN.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—J. W. Neill, director of farmers' institutes, state department of agriculture, today gave out the following statement:

"Farmers need not wait for a representative of this department to call on them in order to become organized and affiliated with the state farmers' institute, under the care of this department. They can meet anywhere they wish, elect officers and then notify the department of what they have done. They will be enrolled as members of the state organization. Literature will be sent them and as soon as possible one of our lecturers will visit them.

In some localities this has already happened and we hope to hear of it happening often. One prominent North Texas farmer last week, W. B. Yeary of Farmersville, called a meeting of his neighbors and thus organized. Word of other organizations has also come to us and it is very encouraging."

SUGAR EMPLOYEES STRIKE.

By Associated Press.

San Juan, March 7.—With one exception, the sugar companies of Porto Rico are experiencing strikes of their employees. The Fajardo Sugar company has signed an agreement granting the demand of the workmen for a minimum pay of \$1 for an eight-hour day.

INDICT SEATTLE OFFICERS.

By Associated Press.

Seattle, Wash., March 7.—A jury in the case of Mayor Hiram C. Gill, Charles Beckingham, Seattle's chief of police, and five others under indictment for conspiracy to violate federal liquor laws, was completed today in the United States district court.

MASONS OF HIGH DEGREE IN CONGRESS



THE five thirty-third degree Masons in the national house of representatives are proud enough of Masonry to pose for a picture. Here they are, from left to right: George

P. Darrow, Pennsylvania; Harry H. Pratt, New York; Allen T. Treadway, Massachusetts; Martin A. Morrison, Indiana, and William Kettner, California.

INSURANCE FIRMS GIVEN PROTECTION BY TEXAS SENATE

N. B. WILLIAMS AUTHOR OF BILL CHAMPIONED BY SENATOR M'COLLUM.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—In the senate this afternoon Senator A. R. McCollum succeeded in getting through finally the bill by Representative N. B. Williams of Waco designed to protect Texas life insurance companies from exploits of so-called wreckers. While of general nature, it has been generally considered as of protective nature for one of the large companies of the state.

It passed the house easily enough, but met earnest opposition in the senate, with remarks of a rather personal nature by some of the senators who opposed it. In the debate the chief opponents declared that its passage was essentially a matter of personal concession to Senator McCollum, who made a vigorous plea in its behalf, with some allusion to local considerations that prompted his support of the bill.

WITHDRAWS VETO MESSAGES.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—Governor Ferguson tonight withdrew his veto message of the senate bill relating to investment of fiduciary and trust funds.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—Governor Ferguson tonight withdrew from the senate his veto message disapproving the bill legalizing investment of fiduciary and trust funds. He will consider it further.

PARIS TO GET COUNTY TAX.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—The Governor today signed the bill giving the city of Paris taxes of Lamar county for five years because of the great fire loss.

WILLACY BILL POSTPONED.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—The house this afternoon postponed indefinitely the

"The Happy Way to Health" is not through mountains of pills or rivers of dope. It is through proper selection of food, pure air and rational exercise. If you have health you can keep it by eating Shredded Wheat, the food that supplies all the nutritive material needed for work or play and in a digestible form. Keep your stomach clean and your bowels active by eating Shredded Wheat, the food that supplies strength and builds healthy tissue without overtaxing the digestive organs. Always the same price, always the same high quality. A delicious, nourishing meal for a few cents. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.
BY O. O. MCINTYRE.

Special Correspondent of the Waco Morning News.

New York, March 7.—The Man in White—The Ghost of Fifth Avenue—is still in our midst. Daily he parades down the big avenue hatless, sport-shirted and low-shoed. He is Percy Richards, who floated to our shores at the beginning of the war.

His thin, pure-white costume has made him world-famous. He did the daring thing and the newspapers took him up. He is a big, strapping, up-standing man with the figure of an athlete. I have known him for several years and the more I see of him the more I admire him.

Richards came to America to sink. He met with the usual disappointments that beset the newcomer. He has a brave little wife who has struggled with him for recognition. There were times when there was not even so much as a crust of bread in their little flat.

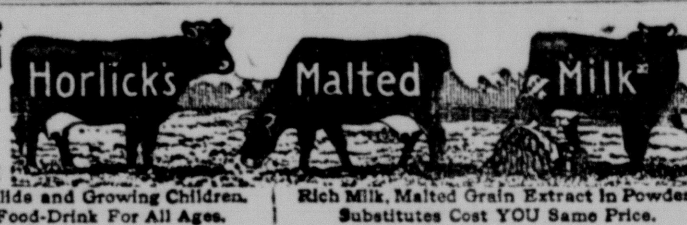
After awhile he sang in a moving picture theatre and it seemed that he could go no higher. But he never lost heart. Those who thought he affected his unusual manner of dress were mistaken. His father before him wore the same kind of clothes and lived to be 90 years old.

Richards has never worn a hat because he believes hats are a bother. He is a rebel perhaps, but he sticks to his ideals. He is now coming to his own. He gave a recital the other day before a distinguished audience. The applause indicated he had won recognition.

Up in a little second tier box sat his wife, white-faced and dry-eyed. She knew the fight had been won and those who might have expected her to burst into tears were mistaken. She had given all of her tears to vanished hopes—she and Her Man in White were just beginning to live.

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- 2 The aggressive merchant—the man who wants his business to grow with the city—is using every means possible to make his business known to these new people. He is keeping in contact with them from day to day thru advertising—is inviting them to his store and letting them know that he desires their patronage. His business is growing with Waco, and his annual net income is growing also.
- 3 Few merchants nowadays attempt the old policy of doing business on their reputation. In a growing city like this it isn't a safe policy to pursue. It leaves the field entirely open to the advertising merchant who is constantly telling of his store, his service and his merchandise. Competition for the increased business from increased population is too keen.
- 4 The Morning News is making a special effort to get in touch with all the newcomers to the city. We want their patronage and we are getting it on the basis of merit. We want them to read our paper for the news there is in it, and we want them to get acquainted with our merchants thru our advertising columns.
- 5 The Morning News carries the message of its advertisers to its new and old subscribers in the most presentable manner, and it is read in a majority of homes in this city and vicinity.

"SERVICE OUR WATCHWORD—QUALITY OUR FAD."

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Theater Review and News of Attractions for the Week



Clara Kimball Young appearing at the Hippodrome in "The Price She Paid."

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew and Theda Bara.

Former Senator and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew of New York, who are spending the winter at St. Augustine, Fla., were interested spectators during the filming there of several scenes in which the screen's most famous vampire, Miss Theda Bara, was the central figure. The Depewes were given chairs directly behind the camera man so they could have an unobstructed view of Miss Bara's performance. When it was over they warmly congratulated the star.

FOUR beautiful and talented young women, born and reared in the old South, with characteristics common to the typical Southern woman, and billed as "The Maryland Singers," proved to be one of the best of the interstate circuit's offerings. When they appeared at the Auditorium theatre yesterday afternoon, Melodious and classical ballads of the South are offered by this quartette of Dixie Nightingales. Melody has had no more able exponent in some time than "The Maryland Singers." This act with the other six will be shown in Waco again today matinee and night.



Cyril Maude in "Grumpy," at the Auditorium Saturday matinee and night.

Ovation given the bill yesterday showed that the audience was almost as well pleased with Clarence Oliver and Georgia O'P in their famous playlet, "Discontent," as they were with the Maryland Singers. Oliver is the same stellar actor that he was in "Officer 666," "The Wall Street Girl," "Too Many Crooks" and "She's In Again."

The three Kitaro Brothers attain the superlative degree of Japanese dexterity in an act which offers something new and different. Their skill is above the ordinary act of Japanese actors that are so numerous on vaudeville circuits. As a character delineator, Herbert Clinton is in a class with few others. His characterizations of famous persons were unusually good.

"On Broadway" is a light, meretricious, catchy, clever skip. George McKay and Otis Arline are the two characters of the act. They kept things lively while they were on the stage.

Mantilla-Cahill were not to be forgotten soon. They introduced a number of late songs and smart dances. This act is classed among the best for acts that have two entertainers of the singing and dancing variety.

ORPHEUM.

Vaudeville and Pictures. Presenting four acts of vaudeville and a motion picture production, "The Darling of Paris," in which is starred the famous Theda Bara, the Orpheum theatre will begin their big show the first half of the week today. Three shows will be given daily, one in the afternoon and two at night.

"The Darling of Paris" is the first of a series of De Luxe pictures Theda Bara will appear in. The picture is founded on Victor Hugo's famous tragic romance, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame." The story itself is one of tremendous interest.

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able time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by the use of this prescription at home. Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and let it dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start, and inflammation and redness will quickly disappear. If your eyes bother you even a little it is your duty to take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have saved their sight if they had cared for their eyes in time.

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The Two Jewels at the Orpheum in street conversations.

Court Reports

Criminal Appeals.

Austin, March 7.—The following proceedings were had in the court of criminal appeals today:

Affirmed: Vernon Childs alias Somers, from Wharton.

Reversed and affirmed: Hay Freeman from Wichita.

Reversed and remanded: Mary Anderson from Ellis, Frank Nible from Marion, C. Q. Stanley from Smith.

Appeal dismissed: Harry A. Colt from Dallas.

Reversed and bail granted: Ex Parte N. C. Patterson from Tarrant.

Submitted on brief and oral argument from both: E. W. Fry from Clay, Louis Verne from Fayette, George Mizell from Anglin.

On brief for state: Ernest Porter, from Ellis, Burrell Cain from Dallas.

On brief for appellant: Dock Lynch from Rusk.

On brief for both: John Moller from Dallas.

On motion for rehearing: Kelson Holloway from Lamar.

Civil Appeals.

Austin, March 7.—The following proceedings were had today in the court of civil appeals, Third district:

Affirmed: Kansas & Texas Railway company of Texas vs. Gertrude Johnson, administratrix et al. from Bastrop; Herman Weige vs. Dora Jenkins, from Hays.

Reversed and remanded: R. S. Smith et al. vs. Buckholts State Bank et al. from Milam.

Affirmed on motion for rehearing by appellees and appellants' motion for rehearing overruled: W. O. Evans vs. Lizzie E. Williams et al. from Travis.

Case dismissed on motion of appellee: T. E. George vs. F. C. Blumberg et al. from Comal.

Rehearing refused: Fort Worth & Rio Grande Railway company vs. Will Matthews, from Coleman.

Motion to relax costs of stenographer's fee for statement of facts granted: J. M. Ater vs. Rotan Grocery company, from Bell.

Motions for rehearing submitted: Kennedy Pasture company et al. vs. State of Texas, from Travis, by all parties; Fritz Fritz v. Schmidt et al. vs. City of New Braunfels et al. from Comal; A. R. Roberts et al. vs. Richard I. Munroe, district judge, mandamus, Spaulding Manufacturing Co. vs. G. W. Allen, from Coleman, by appellant.

Motion to dismiss submitted: Brack Hall vs. Ida Hall et al. from Williamson; Smith-Bunting Co. vs. G. M. Taylor, from Milam.

Cases submitted: D. A. Smith vs. Railroad Employees' Development company, from Bastrop; Brack Hall vs. Ida Hall et al. from Williamson; Edna Dean vs. Charles Dean, from McLennan.

Supreme Court.

Special to the News.

Austin, March 7.—The following proceedings were had in the supreme court today:

Reversed and remanded with instructions: Walter Avery et al. vs. Diana Johnson et al. Refugio county, Fourth district.

Reversed and remanded: Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway company vs. Rolla DeFord, from Potter county, Seventh district.

Motions for rehearing submitted: E. V. O'Neill et al. vs. Bush & Tiller, from Tarrant county, Sixth district; Elmer Marshall vs. J. T. Robinson, commissioner, et al. (mandamus), from Tarrant.

Motion to advance submitted: Prudential Life Insurance company et al. vs. J. P. Smyer et al., Swisher county, Seventh district.

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MARLIN

Marlin, March 7.—Most prominent among the social affairs of the week was the reception given by Misses Alberta and Rosalind Kyser at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kyser on Norwood street. Tuesday afternoon, honoring Miss Julia Boling of Columbia, Mo., a guest in their home. Several handsomely gowned women were in the receiving line and the guests were numbered by the score.

Four tables of bridge players were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bolivar Billingsley Monday afternoon with Mrs. Billingsley as hostess.

Rev. C. O. Howard officiated at the marriage of Miss Katherine Woodson and S. S. Jones Jr., Monday afternoon.

March winds played havoc with the scheduled formal opening of the Marlin aviation field Tuesday afternoon. Hundreds had come here to witness the flights. Arrangements had been made to have special ceremonies and to have them filmed. John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, was to have played a prominent role in the picture.

News reached Marlin Tuesday of the marriage of Lieut. James F. Newberry of Company F, Second Texas regiment, to Miss Manilla Henry of Corpus Christi. The wedding occurred Sunday in Corpus Christi, where Lieutenant Newberry is stationed. The groom was a business man in Marlin before going to the border with the B. C. Clark Light Guards.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal St. Clair were visitors in Waco Tuesday.

Signs, bearing the words, "Giants and their friends are invited to attend a hop Tuesday evening, to be given in the dining room of the Arlington," brought forth a large crowd of dancers. The dining room had been especially decorated for this occasion.

Miss Louise Dunkum has returned from a visit in Tennessee and Alabama. While there, she was the recipient of many social courtesies.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hang of Riesel were meeting friends in Marlin this week.

Dr. J. H. Davis has returned from Winston-Salem, N. C., where he was the guest of P. H. Harris. Dr. Davis bought

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a carload of Holstein thoroughbred cows while there. He expects them to arrive here tomorrow.

J. D. Willis of Waco is in Marlin today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cavitt of McGregor are visiting in Marlin.

T. H. Whitley of Calvert is a visitor in the Hot Water City.

CHINA SPRINGS

J. Dee Conger, after two weeks in a Waco sanitarium, will be brought home the last of this week for convalescence.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jenkins, on March 4, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Rich, on March 5, a daughter.

The chief topic of interest in China Springs this week is the election Saturday, which is to determine whether or not this shall be made into an independent school district.

Tuesday, during the high wind, many parents, knowing the insecure condition of the school house, sent for their children during the forenoon. During the noon session a meeting of the trustees was called by the principal, J. O. Owens, at which it was decided to dismiss school for the remainder of the day, as the building was unsafe.

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NOTICE.

W. L. Trice, who has been connected with some of the furniture companies of Waco for the past fifteen years, has been elected secretary of the Ladies' Oakwood Cemetery association. Please mail all bills and moneys for the association to W. L. Trice, 1406 S. 11th St., phone 1122.—Adv.

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POLLY AND HER PALS—THEY SPELL BUSINESS WITH A CAPITAL "B" IN THE PERKINS HOUSEHOLD.

BY STERRETT, FAMOUS NEWS CARTOONIST.



NAVIGATORS MAKE HAY WITH TEXAS SUNSHINE IN PREPARATION FOR SATURDAY'S GAME

KATY PARK GETS DOWN TO WORK WITH NAVIGATORS

"POP" SAYS PRACTICE LIKE AN AIREPLANE, BUT SURE 'NUFF JUST THE SAME.

By "Pop" Boone.
SURE 'NUFF BASEBALL was the feature of the Navigator training camp at Katy Park yesterday. It wasn't such a hard game, the score being 702 to 634 or thereabouts, but it certainly did have a lot of running in it—and that was its real object. The "Regulars" lined up against the "youngsters." Red Kuhn and Eddie Donalds appeared with the latter. On the Nav team the infield wasn't far from the way it will look this summer with Leslie at first, Gill at second, Buddie Tanner at short and Grubb at third. Vann caught for this team, while Harkins was backstopper for the Yans. Red Kuhn played second base. Speaking of catchers, it looks like a tight race between Harkins and Vann for the extra catcher's job. Of course Red will be the first-string man. And by the way, the old boy looks mighty good in there this spring. His arm is in grand shape and he's whipping the ball to all corners in mid-season style. It's more than early yet to make any guesses as to Vann and Harkins. Both look like mighty good men—big fellows, who handle themselves well and look like catchers. The Skipper should be able to get a good second-string man from the two of 'em.

Fagan Sprains Ankle.
The first cripple showed up yesterday when Fagan sprained his ankle in a slide to the plate. This pitcher is looked upon as one of the best of the season's crop of recruits. It's almost a mortal cinch Hardy will be able to make a good pitcher out of him. Not only that but he is a good hitter—at least, he looked like a good hitter yesterday. "Among his 'knocks' was a long drive over the left field fence. His sprain came in the last inning of the practice game. He was carried from the field, but examination at the club house was favorable to his chances of being back in a few days. "No, that wasn't hard luck," argued Red Kuhn. "Supposin' it had been your arm!" "It could have been his bean, as far as that goes," said Donalds. "I guess he was even luckier he didn't sprain his bank roll!"

Brainerd Visits Camp.
How'd you like to see a big-league youngster in a Nav uniform? Fred Brainerd was at the park yesterday. He will be remembered as the gentlemanly young cuss who broke out of the Oiler gang and went to the New York Giants. Last year he played with Providence in the International League. "Maybe they don't want me," he said, "as they haven't sent me a contract yet. I guess, according to the free agent rule I am loose. However, I believe there is some talk of a change of ownership, or something, and I'll probably hear from Providence in a few days."

Brainerd had a long talk with

NATIONAL LEAGUE MANAGERS FOR 1917 SEASON ARE HOPEFUL



National league managers. Left, top to bottom: Stallings, Huggins and Robinson; center, Moran and Mitchell; right, Callahan, McGraw and Mathewson.

Hardy and at its conclusion the Big Skipper grinned and remarked: "Well, Fred, if you're out of a job let me know." "I sure will," said the ex-Giant. Brainerd lives in Navasota and motored to Marlin, where he took a couple of workouts with the Giants. He continued on to Fort Worth, "to visit the Fat Stock show." "Will you talk contract with Atz?" he was asked. "Well," he said quizzically, "if I'm a free agent I'll talk contract with anybody who wants to talk that talk with me—till I settle on the best proposition. That's natural, isn't it?" Brainerd was accompanied by W. M. Anderson of Navasota.

First Game Saturday.
Several of the young pitchers will get their first shot at showing their match-game wares Saturday at 3:30, when the Naves will play the New York Giants at Katy Park. Hardy's men are rounding to form quickly, and with his settled infield, catching staff and one or two flossy young pitchers should be able to furnish some diversion. It is likely that both Cauley and Lohman, who are ex-Naves, will work in one or the other of the games Saturday and Sunday.

LOCAL COURTS

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.
George N. Denton, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
No orders.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.
Richard I. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Court not in session.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.
Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Upliger and Faulk vs. Edwards Company, debt; on trial.

COUNTY COURT.
James P. Alexander, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.
P. L. Whitenberg, aggravated assault and battery, defendant fined \$25.

JUSTICE COURTS.
T. Edgar Johnson, Justice.
State vs. O. S. Sadler, swindling.

Giles P. Lester, Justice.
State vs. Walter Parrott, horse theft, bond set at \$500.

Marriage Licenses Issued.
A. B. Thompson and Mary Cox.
Lee Canales and Juana Padilla.
J. H. Mackey and Rosie Lee Whittington.
Sam Correnti and Tereasa Olson.

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FOOTBALL TRAINING BEGUN BY ILLINOIS

SPRING WORKOUTS IN PROGRAM FOR SEVENTY-FIVE CANDIDATES.

By Associated Press.
Urbana, Ill., March 7.—Seventy-five men have responded to Coach Robert Zuppke's call for spring football practice at the University of Illinois. The candidates were given a blackboard lecture on a few fundamental plays and later a brief signal practice.

The chief purpose of the spring practice is to give Zuppke a chance to become familiar with the ability of the recruits. Capt. Kraft, Petty, Knop, Rundquist, Chapler, Klein, Goeltz and Voleben were among the veterans to report. There is plenty of promising material among the freshmen.

Chicago Nationals Lose 1 to 0 in Fresno Game

By Associated Press.
Fresno, Cal., March 7.—The Chicago Nationals' team No. 2 went down to a 1 to 0 defeat at the hands of a local team called the Sun Maids here today. "Duffy" Lewis of the Boston Americans scored the winning run in the ninth inning.

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The National league managers for the 1917 season have completed preparations for their spring training and most of them look forward to a successful season. While it is apparent that not more than one of them can lead his team to the pennant, it is easy to see the eight of them are going to try very hard. At one time or another each of the eight has said that he is unusually hopeful over his team's prospects for the coming season.

Baseball seems to make as strange bedfellows as anything else. John McGraw will find next season that two of his old employees are out fighting against him as indeed they were last year, same being Christy Mathewson and Wilbert Robinson. George Stallings will find his former right-hand man lined up against him when Fred Mitchell brings his Cubs to play the Braves. Mitchell will have his first season as a big league manager next summer, but he is more experienced even so than some others, such as Brainerd. Mitchell's several years as coach of the Braves, under George Stallings, gave him about the best sort of training for a big league manager's job that he could hope to find anywhere. And he will be able to start his Cubs next season with more confidence than a few others who have been managers before.

Here's a Thriller—Bike Riders Set World Pace

By Associated Press.
San Francisco, March 7.—Lawrence and Thomas of San Francisco were twenty miles and three laps ahead of the world's record for sixty-four hours at 2:30 p. m. today and had covered 1,327 miles and eight laps in a six-day bicycle race which started here last Sunday night.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Spots.
Liverpool, March 7.—Cotton spot closed strong:
Good middling 11.99
Middling 11.89
Low middling 11.71
Sales 7000 bales, 1000 for speculation and export. Receipts 3000 bales.

Liverpool, March 7.—Cotton futures today closed steady:
March-April 11.52
April-May 11.40
May-June 11.36
June-July 11.26
July-August 11.16
August-September 10.91
September-October 10.61
October-November 10.46
November-December 10.36
December-January 10.23
January-February 10.31
February-March 10.28
March-April 10.23

RICHARD HOBLITZELL SIGNS WITH BOSTON; LAST OF HOLD-OUTS

By Associated Press.
Boston, March 7.—With the receipt today of the signed contract of Richard Hoblitzell, first baseman of the world's champion Boston Americans, Secretary Lane said that the last of the holdout players had fallen into line.

Hoblitzell, who received \$5,600 last year, was dissatisfied with a cut of \$600 in this year's salary, but signed at \$5,000, it is understood. Hooper, Lewis, Leonard, Foster, Mays and Gregg are still unsigned, but club officials have stated their belief that the first four named would be at the training camps at Hot Springs under contract soon, personal affairs being responsible for delay in signing.

Two scientists of the Washington State college have invented a hand-operated pneumatic machine for forcing vaporized poisons into the burrows of underground animal pests.

Billiard Tilt Goes to Milburn of Memphis

By Associated Press.
Boston, March 7.—F. L. Milburn of Memphis, Tenn., today defeated T. Henry Clarkson of Boston, who was ranked second among the contenders in the national amateur billiard championship tournament in class A. at 18.2 balk line. As a result, Nathan Hall of this city is assured of a tie for the championship and can win the title by a victory in either of his two remaining contests.

West Defeats the East on Los Angeles Courts

By Associated Press.
Los Angeles, March 7.—Maurice E. McLoughlin and Willie E. Davis for the West defeated Theodore Roosevelt Pell and Vernon S. Prentice, representing the East, in a straight sets in the doubles championship opening the East-West tennis tournament here today. The score: 12-10, 6-4, 6-3.

DRILL SERGEANTS FOR ALL AMERICAN CLUBS SAYS BAN JOHNSON

By Associated Press.
Chicago, March 7.—With the appointment of drill sergeants to join the Detroit and St. Louis clubs of the American league, President Johnson announced tonight that every club in the league has been supplied with military instructors.

The sergeants were ordered by Adjutant General McCain, U. S. A., to join the Detroit squad at Waxahachie, Texas, and the St. Louis club at its camp in Palestine, Texas. President Johnson said that although the league had offered to pay the traveling expenses of the instructors, General McCain had declined to accept it. The league, however, will reimburse them for their services.

Shallow streams and canals in one part of Missouri are being navigated by a local inventor's boat that is both driven and steered by an aeroplane engine and propeller.

MARKET NEWS AND REPORTS

COTTON GETS NERVOUS PRINCIPALLY THROUGH SHIPPING UNCERTAINTY

By Associated Press.
New York, March 7.—The cotton market was nervous and irregular today and attention at times seemed to shift from the bullish view of the spot situation to the uncertainties of ocean shipping. May contracts sold off from 17.78 to 17.40 but recovered part of the loss on covering and closed at 17.55, with the general list closing steady, net 8 points lower to 4 points higher. New crop months were relatively firm during the entire day.

The market opened steady at an advance of 12 to 17 points on overnight buying orders and in response to strong Liverpool cables. Prices began to sag off shortly after the call, with the selling becoming more active and aggressive later on rumors that a large amount of cotton had been sunk by German submarines during the first three days of March. The break carried May 20 points under last night's close, while July sagged to 17.27 and October to 16.47, or 11 to 16 points net lower, and active months generally showed a net decline of 28 to 38 points as compared with the high level of the morning. Later it developed that the rumored amount of tonnage sunk by submarines probably referred to operations previously reported during February and the market turned steadier of covering.

SPOT MARKETS.
Galveston, March 7.—Middling 18.05c; tone quiet; sales, spot 73, o. b. 250; receipts 4122; sales 323; stock 262,401.

Houston, March 7.—Cotton spot, middling 17.55c; market steady, sales none, to arrive 450.

Dallas, March 7.—Middling 17.20c; tone steady; sales 150.

New York, March 7.—Cotton spot, middling 17.85c; market quiet, sales none.

New Orleans, March 7.—Cotton spot, middling 17.85c; market steady, sales spot 580, including 600 on hedge basis, to arrive 550.

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DEPRESSING EFFECT OBSERVED IN WHEAT BY CANCELLATIONS

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Chicago, March 7.—Cancellation of purchases by seaboard exporters had a depressing effect today on wheat. Closing prices were heavy, 1/2¢ net lower, with May at \$1.87, 1/2¢ net lower, and July at \$1.87, 1/2¢ net lower. Losses were shown, too, in other leading staples—corn 1/4¢ to 1/2¢, oats 1/4¢ and provisions 30 to 92¢.

At first, the wheat market displayed a tendency to bulge on account of the assumed promising outlook for continued demand from European interests, but the 12ward war in prices led to much realizing influenced to some extent by snowfall in the west.

A million-bushel export purchase at Omaha the market began to break sharply. Subsequent cancellations that President Wilson would arm merchant ships rallied the market moderately, but the effect proved to be only transient.

Corn weakened with wheat and as a result of talk that foreigners were reselling at the seaboard.

General liquidation brought about a notable tumble in the value of provisions.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

Futures were as follows:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.91	1.92	1.87	1.87 1/2
July	1.91	1.92	1.87	1.87 1/2
Sept.	1.91	1.92	1.87	1.87 1/2
Corn—				
May	1.09 1/4	1.09 1/2	1.07 1/4	1.07 1/4
July	1.09 1/4	1.09 1/2	1.07 1/4	1.07 1/4
Sept.	1.09 1/4	1.09 1/2	1.07 1/4	1.07 1/4
Oats—				
May	.60 1/4	.60 1/2	.58 1/4	.58 1/4
July	.60 1/4	.60 1/2	.58 1/4	.58 1/4
Sept.	.60 1/4	.60 1/2	.58 1/4	.58 1/4

CASH GRAIN.

Chicago, March 7.—Wheat—No. 2 red and No. 2 hard nominal.
Corn—No. 2 yellow \$1.08 1/2, No. 2 white \$1.05 1/2, No. 2 mixed \$1.05 1/2.
Barley \$1.12 1/2.

BEAR PRESSURE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR COTTON DEPRESSION

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, March 7.—Bear pressure of a pronounced sort was put on cotton in this market today and prices were depressed during the greater part of the session. Considerable liquidation of long cotton was shown as the market fell.

The declining tendency was checked in the afternoon by a report from Washington that merchant ships would be armed. From the highest to the lowest levels of the day there was a drop of 32 a bale on the money market.

Around the opening the market rose 11 to 16 points on good cables and fear of cold weather in the western belt. Last prices were unchanged to 13 points off, compared to yesterday's close.

LIVESTOCK.
Fort Worth, March 7.—Cattle receipts 3200; strong; steers \$8.50@10.00, stockers \$8.50@10.00, calves \$8.50@10.00, hogs \$8.50@10.00, pigs \$8.50@10.00, sheep \$8.50@10.00, goats \$8.50@10.00.

Kansas City, March 7.—Hog receipts 8500; market higher; bulk of sales \$14.35 to \$14.50, pigs \$11.25 to \$11.50, light \$14.15 to \$14.35, pigs \$11.25 to \$11.50.

Chicago, March 7.—Hog receipts 31,000; weak; bulk \$14.45@14.75, light \$14.45@14.75, mixed \$14.25@14.50, heavy \$14.25@14.50, rough \$14.25@14.50, pigs \$11.25 to \$11.50.

Cattle receipts 12,000; strong; native beef cattle \$8.25@12.25, stockers and feeders \$8.50@10.00, calves \$8.50@10.00, hogs \$8.50@10.00, pigs \$8.50@10.00, sheep \$8.50@10.00, goats \$8.50@10.00.

St. Louis, March 7.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$2.11, No. 2 hard nominal.
Corn—No. 2 yellow \$1.08 1/2, No. 2 white \$1.05 1/2, No. 2 mixed \$1.05 1/2.

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Public stenographer, Notary Public. 711 Amicable Bldg., phone 717.
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FOR NICE service cars
CALL 3171
Stand Raleigh Hotel.

WANTED—To buy your second-hand furniture; just starting in business; will pay highest price. Also want to sell some extraordinary bargains in furniture, gas stoves and refrigerators. R. W. Reinke, new and second-hand furniture and stoves, phone 4081 or 2558, 129 Bridge St.

LADIES—Hair switches, transformations, curls made from combings. Work guaranteed. Mrs. Koepf, 717 S. Third. Phone 3224.

WANTED—To make dress form as U. are. I also teach the business. Phone 4167.

ORDER your suit from A. F. Fisher, 202 Franklin St.

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ON THE WAY to Day's Lake, the site of the new Hunco Club, is Oaklawn Terrace. Buy your lot before the prices are changed. See Bruck, 723 Washington St.

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Notary Public; dealer in Real Estate; Commission Salesman and Intelligence Office. 111 1/2 Bridge St. Phone 1377.

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TENTS
When you want to buy, rent or sell tents go to Ed Strauss, 617 Jackson St., Waco.

FOR QUICK SERVICE ring Union Delivery and Messenger Service. Delivery by automobile, motorcycle and bicycle. Open all night. Phone 1256.

R. D. EVANS, LAWYER, Office 1201-2 South 3rd St. Phone 1953.

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Lost and Found

LOST—Child's white fur collar in or in front of Sanger Bros. Phone 4346.

LOST—White Eskimo spitz dog with collar on his chain dragging; answers to the name of Fritz. For reward return to 1221 Franklin St., or phone 2165.

LOST—Cameo pin, somewhere in downtown district, Wednesday afternoon. For reward, ring ring 4733.

LOST—Lady's gold Elgin watch; reward for return to News.

LOST—Tuesday night between Waco and Lorena, 200-pound sack of cane seed; reward for information leading to recovery. Westbrook & Evans, Lorena.

LOST—Tuesday afternoon somewhere in Waco, a black fur and neckpiece. For reward return to Morning News.

LOST—Gold and agate hall ear drop—an heirloom—somewhere on Austin street Monday afternoon. Return to News office.

FOUND—One bicycle, phone 3561.

LOST—A leather handbag containing silver coffee spoon, little china dish and owner's X. W. C. card, Saturday morning at the cooking school. Reward given. Phone 4577.

LOST—One sorrel horse and buggy; lost Friday night. Brazos Packing company. Phone 4616.

LOST—Between Public Library and Tribune office, black velvet handbag lined with yellow satin and containing letters and receipts. Liberal reward for return to Tribune office or phone 809.

Help Wanted Male

WANTED—Colored porter, good hustler, at train and wait on table; light work, no night trains; 30 miles from Waco. 100, care News.

WANTED—Next season, an experienced, sober and reliable cotton buyer, well acquainted in Central Texas. Must have references. Address Evans & Co., Houston, Tex.

MEN—Our Illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Fort Worth, Texas.

Help Wanted Female

WANTED—Good reliable cook, German or Bohemian. Apply 1207 Washington. Phone 1351.

WANTED—Married couple to rent my home and board me. Must have good references. W. E. Hilley, phone 3041.

FIRST-CLASS help in dressmaking. Phone 1518Y.

Agents Wanted

LIFE OF BUFFALO BILL and story of Wild West, written by himself; big book, well illustrated; tells his whole life; everybody wants it. Liberal commission, credit if desired. Send 15c for agents' outfit. Boyd Publishing Company, Dallas, Texas.

Situation Wanted Male

BAYLOR STUDENT wants position in private family. Can drive automobile. O. B. care News.

Situation Wanted Female

Middle-aged lady wants to do nursing for the sick; best of references. Phone 2180.

Rooms for Rent

THREE unfurnished rooms, all conveniences. 1015 Columbus. Phone 4988.

FOR RENT—Nice front room for two young men; with or without board. 1119 N. 5th.

FOR RENT—To young man or young men; bedroom, all conveniences. Phone 4979.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room in private home. Phone 5194.

FOR RENT—To one or two young men, nicely furnished room in private home, convenient to car; walking distance; N. Waco, references exchanged. Phone 3826.

FOR RENT—Nice south rooms, with a sleeping porch, at 717 S. 3d. Phone 3224.

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NICE CLEAN ROOMS, close in, gas heat. 329 N. 4th St.

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ATTRACTIVE bed rooms for rent, one block of Raleigh. Phone 2244.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; walking distance. Phone 5194.

FOR RENT—North Fifth street, two rooms, adjoining bath. Phone 4354.

FOR RENT—Lovely south front room, close in. Phone 843.

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FOR RENT—Nice front room to refined young men or couple; references exchanged. Telephone 2462.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, close in; will rent singly or together. 226 N. 4th St.

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FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, close in. 503 N. 8th St., phone 1056.

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TWO connecting furnished rooms for light housekeeping; couple only. 323 S. 8th St., phone 4681.

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FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms, completely furnished for light housekeeping; north side. Phone 1665.

APARTMENT, 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences; garage; 2025 N. 6th.

NICE new upstairs 3-room furnished apartment; all conveniences; references exchanged. 531 N. 16th St. Phone 1494.

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Houses and Flats

FOR RENT—1117 S. 4th, 4 rooms, hall, gas, lights, bath. Also 409 S. 16th, 5 rooms, barn, only \$10. E. L. Humphreys.

FOR RENT—4-room house on S. 11th, practically new, near car line. Phone 4016.

KENTUCKY APT., modern 4-room apartment, sleeping porch, hot and cold water, steam heat, janitor, garage, \$35. Phone 705.

NICE 5-room cottage for rent, 1320 N. 11th St., all modern conveniences. Phone 3988.

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SPLENDID residences, choicest apartments. Phone "The Rent Man," 966. J. C. Nichols.

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MEALS and ROOMS—Special rates \$16 and \$18 month; hot bath; meals \$2.50 week; best in town for the money. Try us. 509 S. 3d.

ROOM with board, in private home, with all modern conveniences. Phone 4290.

NICE room and choice board, close in, to couple or men; also garage. 924 Columbus. Phone 1874.

FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms; south exposure; good board; hot water. Apply 629 N. 11th.

WANTED—A couple or two young men to room and board at 1504 Columbus. Phone 3209.

FURNISHED room with table board. 904 Washington; phone 4287.

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ATTEND TOBY'S BUSINESS COLLEGE. NONE BETTER. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

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FOR SALE—Pair of computing scales and one delivery wagon. Phone 1806.

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MORE GROCERIES FOR LESS MONEY is Mosley's reputation. He's got wood, too. Phone 5061 and save money.

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For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One first-class large iron safe. Phone 638.

Automobiles for Sale

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, five-passenger Studebaker auto, good condition; electric lights and new casings, 401 Washington St., phone 1188.

FOR SALE—5-passenger Ford; can be seen at Kilgore's garage. R. D. Roman, Tietz Hotel.

FOR SALE—Liberal discount for cash, 1917 Oakland 8-cylinder 7-passenger automobile, run less than 200 miles, not a blemish and in perfect condition. Would trade for smaller car, horse and buggy or pair mules and wagon. C. J. Green, Mart, Tex., or phone 3743 Waco, ask for Deely.

FOR SALE—Interstate 5-passenger car; 40-horsepower, in perfect condition; cost \$1850, will take \$800. H. M. Williams, Lorena. Phone 20.

FOR SALE—1914 Overland roadster, all new tires and one extra tire, newly painted, electric starter and lights; \$375. Percy Willis Auto Co.

IF a good Ford is what you want come to the Savoy Garage, 612 Washington St. Phone 1277.

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FOR SALE—1916 model \$3 Overland 5-passenger, new storage battery, all good tires; only driven few months. Percy Willis Auto Co.

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RHODE ISLAND REDS—Eggs, prize matings, \$3 per 15; utility \$1.50 per 15. W. S. Morrow, 1905 Mitchell.

PARTRIDGE, Barred and White Plymouth Rocks; won 73 prizes in four 1916 shows. Mrs. Tom Q. Scott, Route 3, Waco, Texas.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn eggs for setting. Phone 1518X. 701 Columbus St.

POULTRY SUPPLIES, brooders, chicken feed; bulk garden and field seed. Don't forget to ask about that Safety Hatch incubator. Smith Bros.

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MILK COW and calf for sale. Phone 4525.

WANTED—Horse for its feed; will take best of care. Phone 976.

BEAUTIFUL spotted pony, buggy and harness; gentle; for sale. E. L. Suggs, phone 4F2.

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PHAETON and harness at your own price. 614 Washington St.

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WE WILL pay highest cash price for all kinds of fat cattle and calves. Freeman & Sons. Phone 3524.

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RAILROAD BIDS TO BE PRESENTED HERE BY CITIES TODAY

TOWNS ALONG THREE PROPOSED ROUTES TO SEND DELEGATIONS TO WACO.

When the representatives of all towns between Waco and Beaumont meet here Thursday, from the three different proposed railroad routes, they first will report to the Chamber of Commerce and register. The first meeting will be held at 11 o'clock, while a luncheon will be served at the Hotel Raleigh at 1 o'clock.

This outline of program was agreed to at a meeting of the Waco committee of five, composed of Chairman Abe Gross, J. N. McFarland, E. W. Marshall, W. V. Crawford and W. G. Lacy, with Secretary H. D. Driscoll of the Chamber of Commerce as ex-officio member. A meeting of the executive committee of the proposed road will be held at 10 o'clock this morning, preceding the general meeting.

It is planned to see how much is offered by each route in the way of bonuses and rights of way, at the meeting today, and if matters look as bright as hoped it is proposed to start surveys of the road within thirty days, money having been raised for this already.

A letter from Mart states that that place will have a large delegation present, and it is believed that each of the thirty or more points reached by the various routes will have representation.

The Beaumont committee of five, which with the Waco committee is the board of control or steering committee, is composed of some of the wealthiest and most prominent men in Beaumont, including Chairman C. E. Walden, Lieut. Gov. W. P. Hobby, P. A. Heisk, John L. Keith, William Sanger and E. E. Plumly, the latter president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Following the Raleigh luncheon visitors will be given an auto ride over the city.

General Advance Expected in All Lines of Hardware

Notification of an advance in price of approximately 5 per cent on nails and wire, this being a general advance, has been received by the McLendon Hardware company. This is taken to mean that other allied articles also will be advanced within a short time.

Sales Manager J. W. Tabor said yesterday that as a rule an advance on nails and wire indicated an upward tendency on the part of the hardware line.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR CROSS, SICK FEVERISH CHILD

IF LITTLE STOMACH IS SOUR, LIVER TORPID OR BOWELS CLOGGED.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered.

When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can cause no injury. No difference what all your little one—if full of cold, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "inside cleanser" should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

13½ Lbs. \$1
SUGAR

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

tyad Coffee, lb. 35c, 3 lbs. \$1.00
na Coffee, Mocha and Java, lb. 30c, 3 lbs. \$1.00
1 Blend Coffee, 6 lbs. \$1.00
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ker's Cocoa 22c
Chocolate, lb. 32c
Ice, lb. 7c
& P. Ketchup 20c
March, lb. 5c

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Austin Phone 815

Bosqueville Mothers' Club to Meet Friday March 9

The Mothers' club of Bosqueville will hold its postponed meeting Friday night, March 9, at the school house. It is announced that an unusually interesting program has been arranged. County School Superintendent R. L. Abbott and one of the high school principals will speak. Free refreshments will be served. A general invitation is extended. Music will be furnished by Victrola and piano furnished by Goggan Bros. of Waco. Object of the meeting is for the parents and teachers to get better acquainted.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR SUPPER TONIGHT IN NEW TEMPLE

OUT-OF-TOWN MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED—WILL CONFER OR DER OF ORGANIZATION.

Officers and members of Waco commandery, Knights Templar, have planned to hold a supper and smoker tonight in the New Masonic Temple, Eighth and Washington streets. The menu is in charge of the ladies of the Eastern Star. Members are requested to meet at 6:45 o'clock. Supper will be served 13 minutes later.

A few of the older members will give short reminiscences of the earlier days of Templarism in Texas.

After supper the Order of the Temple will be conferred, the opening ceremonies of which will begin at about 8:15 o'clock. Quite a number of members living out of town have signified their intention of being present. Members of the commanderies at McGregor and Hillsboro have been invited to attend.

J. A. Hughes to Address Waco Speakers' Club

At the regular meeting of the speakers' club tonight at the Waco Chamber of Commerce, the following program will be rendered: Oration, J. A. Hughes. Debate on "Resolved, That the principles upon which the labor union are founded are sound and should have the support of the public," with affirmative represented by B. S. Hammond and N. P. Lowrey, while the negative enthusiasts will be Warren W. Hunt and Cecil McGuffin.

Texas Dentists Meet in Houston April 25 to 28

The Texas State Dental society, of which Waco has two men as officers, will meet in Houston April 25 to 28 inclusive, according to information received yesterday from the secretary-treasurer W. O. Talbot of Fort Worth. Officers of the society are: J. O. Hall of Waco, president; W. H. Scherler, Houston, vice president; W. E. Thelmer, second vice president; B. C. Talbot of Fort Worth, secretary-treasurer; and A. F. Sonntag, Waco, curator of museum.

BAYLOR NOTES

CALENDAR FOR WEEK.

Miss Honor E. Wolfe's dramatic recital this afternoon 4:45 o'clock. In Miss Martin's model school room, Baylor.

Baseball practice every afternoon 3 o'clock.

Y. W. C. A. meets tomorrow night 7:30 o'clock.

Erlsophian and "Philo" societies meet tomorrow night 7:30 o'clock.

R. C. B. and "Callie" meet tomorrow night 7:30 o'clock.

Soccer game with Cleburne Saturday 4 o'clock.

O. C. Payne, co-editor of the Farm and Ranch, is a Baylor visitor. He has delivered two addresses each day this week and will continue to do so the remainder of the week. Mr. Payne addresses have been on Texas as an agricultural state.

President S. P. Brooks is at Shreveport, La., attending the annual convention of the Laymen of the Southern Baptist denomination. He will go to Dallas Friday to attend a meeting of the executive board of Southern Baptists.

Woodmen Convention.

Delegates and visitors to the number of 6,000 to 8,000 will be in Waco from March 26 to 30 inclusive; the accommodation committee requests that all hotels and boarding and lodging houses proprietors and all others who may wish to accommodate any number of the visitors communicate with them at once in writing with the following information: Name, street number, phone number, number of persons that can be accommodated with lodging only or lodging and board and rate per day per person, whether you prefer men or ladies or both.

Address S. J. Flood, chairman W. O. W. hotel and accommodation committee, 121 South Eighth street. No phone or personal requests will be acknowledged.—Adv.

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HOLDING COMPANY IS REPORTED PLANNING MARY ST. BUILDING

INFORMATION INDICATES WILLIAMS DRY GOODS CONCERN NOT TO USE CAPITAL FOR STRUCTURE.

A holding company has been formed which will erect a large, modern building for the Williams Dry Goods company at the northeast corner of Sixth and Mary streets, according to apparently well founded information yesterday. The building probably will be five stories, of attractive design and arranged with special reference to the needs of the company occupying it.

Also there were intimations that the wholesale shoe house and hat house reported as organizing last week may materialize within a short time.

In case the holding company erects the building it will leave the \$300,000 capitalization unimpaired for use by the wholesale dry goods people, said information yesterday.

Waco Men Will Address School Meet China Springs

W. W. Woodson, Supt. B. B. Cobb and J. H. Quarles of Waco will speak tonight at China Springs in behalf of the proposed incorporation of that town for school purposes.

The meeting will be held at the Baptist church. Other speakers may have a word to say as well as those from Waco. It is a mass meeting.

The election will be held Saturday on incorporation and to elect seven trustees in case the movement carries.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF ELKS IS HELD

ORDER GIVEN YEARLY INSPECTION BY DISTRICT GRAND EXALTED RULER.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected last night by local Elks after which the order was given its annual inspection by District Grand Exalted Ruler C. L. Tamm of Marlin.

Those elected were T. J. Wold, exalted ruler; W. T. Lockwood, leading knight; O. H. Cross, loyal knight; E. C. Woessig, lecturing knight; W. B. Knight, secretary; J. K. Rose, treasurer; E. C. Robinson, tyler; delegate to the grand lodge, Dr. I. L. McGlasson, and alternative, John B. McNamara.

Accompanying the district grand exalted ruler to Waco were Frank Oltorf, W. W. Turner, Don H. Rice Jr., A. H. Sneed, J. A. Collins, Will Bowden and Tom B. Hartlett.

Special Stockmen's Train Passes Thru Waco Soon

A special stockmen's train will pass through Waco over the Katy railroad March 12, bound for the state meeting in Fort Worth. The train will be made up in San Antonio and will reach Waco at 3:05 o'clock in the afternoon. The train will consist of four standard sleepers, a diner, social car, chair car, coach and baggage car.

To Give Ukelele Music Before Working Boys

Ukelele music will be given by four Baylor girls, Misses Jessie Truett, Mildred George, Tommie Andrews and Clementine Ward, at the meeting tonight of the Working Boys' club at the club room, 209½ South Fifth street. Members of the club will participate in a mock trial.

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Federal Grand Jury Breaks All Records in Long Meet

Breaking all records for a decade as to the length of time in session, the federal grand jury yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock concluded its work. The session lasted nine days. Usually the body holds less than a week. Twenty-nine indictments were returned.

To Farmers and Truck Growers: (Cucumbers.)

It is nearly planting time, and as we want to have plenty of seed to furnish you, we would like to be advised by you how much you would want to plant. We will be in the market for cucumbers and we will pay the highest market price. If you wish to contract your cucumbers in advance phone or call to see us. Waco Pickle and Canning Co., phone 808, 214 Marley St., opposite Cotton Belt depot.—Adv.

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Perhaps It's Here

THAT a large per cent of American plan hotels in Texas have changed their plan and have closed their dining rooms is the statement made by Gus Hoover, traveling passenger agent of the Cotton Belt railroad.

Mr. Hoover said that the number of restaurants and cafes has increased wonderfully in Texas within the past two years, incident to the closing down of the hotel dining rooms in many cases. Dining rooms were found unprofitable, it is claimed, by many hotels.

President W. B. Bizzell of A. & M. speaks twice in Waco Friday.

He will talk to students of the Waco high school at 9 o'clock Friday morning, and to the High School club at 6:30 in the evening, the last address to be delivered at the Y. M. C. A. Lectures are under the auspices of the High School club.

"Savagery and Salvation in the Sudan" will be the subject of a lecture which will be delivered tonight, First Presbyterian church, by Dr. R. V. Bingham of Toronto. He came through the courtesy of E. H. Dickson, formerly of Waco. Dr. C. T. Caldwell promises a great lecture. Pictures taken by Dr. Bingham will be used in the lecture.

A brief session of the Lions was held yesterday afternoon, Hotel Raleigh. L. C. Alexander acted as toastmaster. Hal B. Hays of the Hays Tire company was elected to membership. Short talks boosting the bond issues were made.

When Dr. J. J. Smith stepped down stairs yesterday morning from his office over the Provident drug store, he left his overcoat in the office.

Returning within a very few minutes, the coat had disappeared. The theft was reported.

Meeting tonight in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, the Waco Speakers' club will hear an oration by J. A. Hughes and will have a debate. In the debate will be B. S. Hammond and N. P. Lowrey, Warren W. Hunt and Cecil McGuffin.

Braving all rumors heard regarding the high cost of living, John Mackey, a well known and industrious negro who has been with the McLendon Hardware company for at least ten years, slipped off yesterday to Belton to get married.

The German Methodist Ladies' Aid society will not meet today on account of the death of Mrs. Fred Mailander.

The man who made the first response in Texas to the appeal of the Texas Reclamation and Conservation association for funds with which to prosecute its work after organization was in Waco yesterday.

This was J. Falkon Lane of Hearne, mayor, newspaper man, lawyer and general wide-awake citizen. Mayor Lane had a conference with President W. W. Seley of the Texas Reclamation and Conservation association, and promised further co-operation for the work ahead in carrying the proposed constitutional amendment.

Contractor J. E. Ward, who will place a coating of asphaltum on all the brick pavements which have not the coating on them at this time, will assemble his plant and begin work next week.

He will make Waco his headquarters from this time on, he states, as this place is more central. The placing of the asphaltum on brick streets will occupy Contractor Ward some little time. A few residential streets may also be treated to this coating.

Celebrating the fact that the Macabees have been organized in Waco twenty-five years, there will be a smoker and program at the hall, at Eighth and Washington streets, Tuesday night next.

Efforts will be made to get out a large attendance. There will be talks by prominent Macabees.

Christmas Fund to Charities Decide Wacoans Yesterday

At least half the money left from the municipal Christmas tree and perhaps more, will be given to the United Charities for needy cases. This was decided yesterday after a conference between Col. W. W. Seley and Mayor John Collins.

In addition to this money, amounting to about \$100, Mr. Seley secured \$20 additional from interested parties.

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Frances Willard Union Plans Important Meeting April 15

Mrs. Mary Harris Armor, noted national W. C. T. U. lecturer, will deliver a lecture in Waco for Frances Willard union on April 15.

Frances Willard union has decided to conduct a rummage sale on April 7. The membership campaign now on is to be continued until March 15, with definite work by committees the last three days. Twenty-eight new members have been secured thus far.

The union will co-operate with the Intercollegiate Prohibition association of Baylor when the state meeting is held there the first week in April.

Officers of Frances Willard union have been elected as follows: President, Mrs. A. D. Adams; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. E. Stafford; recording secretary, Mrs. R. M. Nichols; treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Moore. Other officers will be named next week.

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ATTENTION, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Called convocation of Waco Commandery No. 10 K. T. tonight at the new Masonic Temple. Supper will be served promptly at 7 and following this the Order of the Temple will be conferred. Visiting Sir Knights are courteously invited to be present. EARLE E. BRUCK, Com. J. F. BRINKERHOFF, Rec.

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Mrs. J. E. Hancock, who resides at 1417 Dutton St., Waco, says: "I have been using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for some time. It is a fine medicine I know. I hope others will try it."

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Mrs. May Arnold of 42 W. Plum St., Paris, says: "I have used several kinds of medicines and I found that the 'Favorite Prescription' was the only thing that did me any good. I took it and am entirely well. I think it is a fine medicine. I would advise friends who are in bad health to use Dr. Pierce's remedies."

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